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IMPORTANT FACTS IN LORIMER CASE

President of Chicago Bank Tells of Hines' Message to Gov. Deneen.

NEVER HEARD OF BRIBERY

Geo. M. Reynolds Interesting Witness Before Lorimer Investigating Committee—The Washington Incident.

Washington, July 19.—George M. Reynolds, president of the Continental Commercial Bank, of Chicago, who was reported to have declined the treasury port folio in the Taft administration, today told the Senate Lorimer Committee what he knew of Edward Hines delivering an alleged message from the administration at Washington to Governor Deneen to aid Lorimer's election. He recited how Hines on the day of Lorimer's election consulted with him as to how to deliver the message to Deneen.

"Hines came to me that morning (May 26th)," said Reynolds today, " and said he bore a message that would have an important bearing on Illinois politics, that it came directly from Senator Aldrich, and in reality from the administration of President Taft and was to Governor Deneen.

"He told me in substance that there had been a conference of some leading Senators in Washington and he had been commissioned to take a message, which was in effect that the Senators, including the President, had expressed a desire to have a Senator elected from Illinois and after consideration of the local situation they had come to the conclusion that Congressman Lorimer could be united better than any one and they preferred to having Lorimer elected rather than to have the Legislature adjourn without making an election."

Reynolds said that he suggested that he, Hines, telephone Deneen. Deneen replied Reynolds might have to identify him to Deneen, but he did not call upon him to do so. Reynolds said Hines told him that a night or so before he had waited at Aldrich's home until he returned from the White House, where he had gone to discuss Lorimer's candidacy.

According to Reynolds, Hines remarked once to him that he (Hines), probably was instrumental in Lorimer's election, evidently referring to his message to Deneen. The only time the use of money in the election was suggested, Reynolds said, was when Mr. McCormick, then manager of the Chicago Tribune, came to him with the statement that he had definite knowledge that some one took $128,000 from Washington to Springfield.

"McCormick," he added, "said he knew I knew about the message to Deneen and asked if I knew anything about the money."

Mr. Reynolds said he certainly never knew of the use of money in the election of Lorimer.

C. F. Wiehe, secretary of the Edward Hines Lumber Company, declared that William Burgess, of Duluth, Minn., was an "absolute liar" if he testified that which was read as Burgess' testimony. Burgess had said Wiehe told him on the Winnipeg Flyer, March 7, 1911, that he subscribed $10,000 to a Lorimer election fund. Wiehe told the committee that he believed there was a "frame-up" between Burgess and W. H. Cook. The latter recently testified that Edward Hines telephoned from his room in Chicago the day Lorimer was elected that he (Hines) would be down to Springfield with all the money necessary for Lorimer's election. Wiehe said that he believed Cook would perjure himself to injure Hines.

Wiehe denied that he ever heard of the "Father Green incident," as Burgess related it. Wiehe, however, recalled a rumor that Detective Keely, of the State's attorneys office in Chicago, complained to Father Green about the work assigned to him in the Lorimer case and that Keely got Representative Beckmeyer drunk and that then Beckmeyer was taken down to the red light district and a comprising photograph shown him when he would not testify as wanted.

Samuel J. Cusson, of Virginia, Minn., a stockholder in the Edward Hines Lumber Company, John B Price, a lumber man of Seattle, Wash. and B. A. Johnson, formerly of the American Lumberman, of Chicago, told of being on the Winnipeg Flyer and having heard the remarks attributed to Wiehe.

Aldrich Ready to Appear.

Whether the Taft administration wanted Lorimer elected to succeed Hopkins as Illinois senator and whether former Senator Aldrich, of Rhode Island, then the Republican Senate leader, was the means through which that wish was conveyed to Edward Hines, the lumberman, probably will be developed tomorrow. Mr. Aldrich arrived in Washington tonight and is ready to appear before the Lorimer committee at once to explain his alleged activities in connection with the Illinois senatorial election.

Hines has testified that he waited until mid-night at the Washington home of Senator Aldrich while the latter, at the White House, talked over the Illinois senatorial deadlock with President Taft. At the conclusion of the conference Hines said he was told by Mr. Aldrich that the President wanted Lorimer elected. Mr. Hines has sought to prove that his own energies were directed toward the election of Lorimer as the result of that alleged conference at the Whit House and declared he believed he held the commission of the administration.

Following Mr. Hines' testimony a statement of the President's attitude towards the Illinois election contrary to the impression created by Hines, was issued from the White House. The testimony of Mr. Aldrich has been awaited with much interest.

WALL PAPER TRUST UNDER BAN

Four Indictments by Federal Grand Jury at Cleveland—Action Follows Secret Session of the Manufacturers.

Cleveland, O., July 19.—Four indictments were returned this afternoon by the Federal grand jury which has been investigating an alleged wall paper trust. The indictments charge a conspiracy in restraint of trade under the provisions of the Sherman anti-trust law. The indicted parties are all officials of wall paper jobbing houses. They are J. B. Pearce, president of the J. B. Pearce Wall Paper Company, of Cleveland; Norton Newcomb, of St. Louis; Edward E. Maxwell, of Chicago, and C. C. Aler, of Columbus, Ohio.

Bond was fived at 5,000 in each case.

The specific charge against the indicted men is that they met in Cleveland on May 30, 1910, and after a secret session notified wall paper manufacturers of the country that if they sold wall paper to five and ten cent stores, the jobbers would boycott the manufacturers.

The significance of this action, the government alleges, is that the four men constitute the executive committee of the National Association of Wall Paper Jobbers.

According to Federal officials over three hundred five and ten cent stores throughout the country were affected by the alleged order of the jobbers.

Today's indictments follow a grand jury investigation of several weeks' duration.

The government first took up the investigation six months ago on the charge of Frank C. Hall, who operates a number of pve and ten cent wall paper stores in Pittsburg, that wall paper manufacturers and jobbers had combined and refused to sell him wall paper.

AN APOLOGY TO FRANCE.

Spanish Government Regrets Arrest of French Consular Agent.

Paris, July 19.—The Spanish ambassador to France, J. Perez-Caballero, today called on M. DeSelves, the French foreign minister, and expressed the regrets of the Spanish government for the arrest recently of M. Boisset, French consular agent at Alcazar, Morocco, by a Spanish patrol.

The ambassador said that the Spanish foreign minister had not yet received a report on the subject, but that after reading the French official version of the incident he had expressed regret to the French ambassador at Madrid and his government. Senor Perez-Caballero added that the minister requested him to repeat this expression to M. DeSelves and inform the French foreign minister that as soon as he receives a full report from the legation at Tangier he will instruct Col. Sylvestre, commander of the Spanish section of the Moorish police to convey adequate apologies to M. Boisset.

In addition, the Spanish ambassador said, his government was desirous of maintaining cordial relations with France and had forwarded instructions to its agents at Alcazar in this sense.

CONVICT PARDONED.

Harnett Man Gets Executive Clemency—In the West.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 19.—McKinnon Williams, serving six months in Harnett county for abandonment, is pardoned by Governor Kitchin in order that he may go to a hospital to have an eye removed in order that he may save the other one. He is to give $500 bond for good behavior and as a guarantee that he will contribute as much as $10 per month toward the support of his wife, the payments to begin six months hence.

State Commission of Labor and Printing M. L. Shipman, just back from an inspection of the Cranberry mines in Avery county, following the killing of L. C. Tolley some weeks ago through the explosion of a charge of blast powder that had failed to go off when the fuse was lighted and then discharged from subsequent detonations of the drills, says that there is remarkably little political talk in the West, the people giving their attention to their work and to the entertainment of the great number of visitors that are invading the mountains for the Summer. The Summer visitors are the most numerous ever known and the weather conditions are fine as could be wished.

HAIL DESTROYED CROPS.

Heavy Loss in Vicinity of Apex, Wake County.

Raleigh, N. C., July 19.—There was a severe hail storm in the vicinity of Apex, Wake county, late yesterday afternoon which is said to have damaged the crops to the extent of $40,000 or $50,000. Apex is in a great tobacco section and the damage to this product was extensive. Over 100 acres was destroyed.

LOSSES IN COTTON MAY BE MILLIONS

Bull Operators Who Took Fortunes Recently Threw Over Holdings.

DRASTIC LIQUIDATION NOTED

Aftermath of Recent Heavy Selling Movement — Sensational Decline Continues—The General Situation.

New York, July 19.—A renewal of the heavy selling movement in the cotton market today seemed calculated to remove whatever doubt may have existed following the big decline of Tuesday, that at last leading bull interests, including Eugene Scales, Colonel Thompson, the New Orleans operators and others who have figured so prominently in the market reports of the last two years as having taken fortunes out of cotton, had largely thrown over their holdings. Various estimates were ventured during the day, as to the probable losses of the bulls and their friends, all of which ran up into the millions.

The impression appears to be that the bulls emboldened by the success of the past two years had maintained their position on the market owing to the strong statistical position of the old crop and an expectation that drought in the Southwest, or the boll weevil in the central belt, would cause another partial failure of the crop. With trade reports unfavorable, the drought in Texas relieved, new crop cotton already beginning to move, and promising an unusually heavy addition to old crop supplies during the Summer, it is supposed that the bulls found themselves practically the only support of the market, at a time when Southern offerings against prospective yields were likely to increase steadily, and that the heavy selling of the past several days has reflected the practical abandonment of their holdings.

In spite of a feeling that rallies was to be anticipated after such drastic liquidation as that of several days past, local sentiment still seemed of a very bearish average after the close of business here tonight and there was talk in some quarters of eleven and even ten cent cotton, owing to the expectation of a very favorable August condition report and the demoralization of the bull party. Trade interests, however, had been very heavy buyers of both old and new crop deliveries during the day, and many traders who had sold before the big decline started appeared to be taking profits on their short cotton, possibly, to wait for further hopes from the crop, which, however, brilliantly it may promise is admittedly not yet assured, and for a better idea of the attitude of the Southern planter with reference to marketing his yield at the lower prices.

After the early sensational break, a lull in the liquidating movement toward mid-day permitted of a rally of six or seven points, but the market soon weakened again under selling that was every bit as active and as urgent as any noted since the beginning of the bear movement and for the first time in nearly two years, January contracts broke below the 12 cent level. August was relatively weak on this decline, selling at 12.89 or $2.25 per bale under the closing figures of yesterday while new crop positions showed a net loss of about 22 to 22 points. Trade interests were again heavy buyers, and in connection with covering by shorts, checked the break, but some of the old bull brokers continued to sell, and rallies were limited. The final tone was very steady, however, at the net decline of 12 to 42 points, with August closing at 12.92, and January at 12.06 after that month had sold at 11.99.

DR. WELLS DOING WELL.

Underwent Successful Operation for Appendicitis Yesterday Morning.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Richmond, Va., July 19.—Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., of Wilmington, was successfully operated upon this morning at Johnston-Willis Sanitarium, for appendicitis. Following the operation, he spent a comfortable afternoon, but in the evening he began to suffer considerable pain. His condition, however, is considered satisfactory. Mrs. Wells, J. M. Wells, Jr., and Dr. Wells' brother from Mississippi are with him.

THE STEPHENSON ELECTION.

Charges Will be Taken Up by Senate Committee Today.

Washington, July 19.—Charges of corruption in the election of Senator Stephenson, of Wisconsin, will be taken up tomorrow by the Senate Committee on Elections and Privileges. Chairman Dillingham will lay before the committee the papers concerning the case which the Wisconsin Legislature recently forwarded to the Senate with a request for a Congressional investigation. The committee will determine what action it should take, but thus far the members have not had time to canvass the matter.

UPHOLD TAFT AND RECIPROCITY

Senators Brown, Stone and Works Made Strong Speeches in Senate Yesterday—New Features Are Brought Out.

Washington, July 19.—Vigorous support of the Canadian reciprocity agreement by Senators Brown, of Nebraska; Stone, of Missouri, and Works, of California, and a short speech against the measure by Senator Kenyon, of Iowa, made up today's debate on the measure in the Senate.

Senator Stone arraigned the interests which he said had been using the farmers for the purpose of attacking reciprocity. He declared Democrats could find no excuse for not supporting the agreement as introduced by President Taft.

"This is part of a great progressive movement toward a closer commercial alliance with Canada, that will be for the lasting benefit of both countries," said Senator Stone. "The President is on the right side; the Democratic House of Representatives is on the right side. It will be a pitiful spectacle if the Senate should stand as a stumbling block."

He said he had been charged by some Democrats with being an ally of the Republican President.

"I am supporting the measure, not the President," he said. "As soon as it is disposed of I am afraid my alliance with him will cease, unless he is willing to support some of the Democratic tariff bills."

Senator Stone said the reciprocity bill had been pictured as a ghost "stalking around in a moonless light seeking farmers to devour." He declared the opposition of the farmers had in almost every case been artificially created.

The 30,000 name petition from Minnesota, presented by Senator Nelson was the result of the activities of an agricultural paper, he said.

The National Grange had been used by the firm of New York lawyers, Allen & Grahame, who were summoned before the Finance Committee, said Senator Stone, to oppose reciprocity for the benefit of other interests that the firm represented. Instead of being lawyers for the farmers, he said, they were "professional lobbyists" and represented manufacturers.

"The idea was to arouse the farmers and have them march upon the capital and Congress," said Senator Stone. "But behind it all were these great sheltered interests, forcing the bills and urging them on."

THE CRISIS IN PERSIA.

Brought About by Presence of the Former Shah.

Teheran, July 19.—At a special meeting of the National Council today the premier emphasized the necessity of absolute union in the crisis which has been brought about by the presence of the former Shah Mohammed Ali Mirza in Persia and the revolution movement headed by the ex-Shah's brother in Kurdistan. Several speeches were made endorsing this view and the National Council empowered the government to proclaim martial law of the most rigorous description.

An expedition composed of 500 Bakhtiyaris, 500 reformed cavalry and a large contingent of volunteers will start forthwith against Mohammed Ali.

Opinion here is interested in the attitude Great Britain will adopt as cosignatory of the protocol of August 28, 1909, in which Russia promised to prevent political agitation on the part of the ex-Shah.

NO CHOLERA IN RUSSIA.

Authorities Replied to Message Sent by United States.

Washington, July 19—Supplementing the usual precautions taken by this country to ascertain through its consuls abroad the existence at any place of cholera, yellow fever, plague or other dangerous diseases, Surgeon General Wyman, head of the Public Health and Marine Hospital Service, asked the State Department to enquire whether there was any cholera in Russia and the Russian authorities replied today in the negative. A cablegram from the American consul general at Moscow said that no cholera is officially reported anywhere in Russia.

Boston, Philadelphia, Baltimore and other ports are being watched closely for ships coming from Italian ports.

OUTLINES.

Attorney General Wickersham made a radical address favoring Federal regulation of industrial corporations before the Minnesota State Bar Association yesterday. Many features of his address were nothing short of sensational.——Geo. M. Reynolds, president of a Chicago bank, told what he knew of the Hines incident to the Lorimer Investigating Committee at Washington yesterday——As a result of the recent drastic liquidation in cotton, it is known that several prominent bull leaders threw over their holdings, and their losses will run up into the millions.——Four men were indicted at Cleveland yesterday as a result of the investigation into the alleged trust in wall paper. The action is brought under the Sherman anti-trust law——Speeches were made in the Senate yesterday in favor of reciprocity.

New York markets: Money on call steady 2 1-4 to 2 1-2 per cent., ruling rate and closing bid 2 3-8, offered at 2 1-2. Spot cotton closed 30 points lower, middling uplands 1370, middling gulf 13.95. Flour was moderately active with prices lower. Wheat spot easy, No. 2 red 89 3-4 elevator and 91 1-4 f.o.b. afloat. Corn spot easy, export No. 2, 67 f.o.b. afloat. Oats spot steady, standard white 48 1-2. Rosin and turpentine steady.

ANOTHER CONFLICT OFF RHODE ISLAND

Battleships Still Waging Exciting Mimic Warfare in That Vicinity.

THE VICTOR IS YET UNKNOWN

People on Shore Saw Series of Maneuvers—Battle at Sea Proves Interesting—Night Attack Contemplated.

Block Island, R. I., July 19.—Although the theoretical smoke of the morning's powderless battle at sea had hardly cleared away tonight, another conflict is believed to be impending. Even the men of the fleets do not yet know officially which was the victor in the engagement early today and will not know for some months hence when the Navy Department has had an opportunity to examine the reports of the umpires.

All that the people on shore saw this morning was a series of maneuvers by two fleets. At dawn today the submarines were apparently patrolling the ocean between the easterly side of Block Island and No Man's Land with the destroyers along a secondary line between Gardiner's Bay and Newport and the cruisers on guard at Newport, Point Judith and Garnider's Bay.

Just as the sun was peeping over the horizon, according to Commander Eberle of the defenders, the battleship fleet approached from sea, engaged the enemy and was apparently destroyed theoretically.

At 10 A. M. three cruisers, Washington, Salem and Chester—part of the attacking fleet, came in from sea very rapidly, passed the north end of Block Island and then headed in the direction of Gardiner's Bay. This movement was designated as a ten-minute attack by Rear Admiral Osterhaus, in command of the invaders, and he claimed to have won victory by one and one-half minutes.

Tonight the invading fleet will be weakened by the loss of the Connecticut, Rear Admiral Osterhaus' flagship, for she is actually out of commission for the time being through the cracking a crank shaft. After a day of resting about Block Isiaid the attacking fleet put to sea late today, but left the Connecticut behind. She will remain here until the "war" is over, and then proceed to New York for repairs. Rear Admiral Osterhaus has not transferred his flag to another ship when the battleships left.

During the day the torpedo boat destroyers and others of the steel of defense, rested in the vicinity of Newport, but left about the same hour the battleships, headed out to sea. It is understood taat a night attack is contemplated tonight, and that the attempt of the so-called hostile fleet to open a way through the defending fleet to reach New York through Long Island Sound would be made in the vicinity of Montauk Point.

SIMON BRINGS TROOPS.

Haiti President Personally Directs Attack on Revolutionists.

Port au Prince, July 19.—President Simon arrived here this evening on board the German steamer Syria. He was accompanied by a large force of troops, which have been with him at Fort Liberte. The return of a sufficient force to garrison the town has temporarily relieved the anxiety of the people, who feared that the capital might fall before an attack of the revolutionists.

It is the intention of the cruiser to bombard the towns of St. Marc and Gonaives, both of which ports are occupied by revolutionists, if the revolutionists refuse to withdraw. The diplomatic corps met this afternoon at the call of American Minister Furniss and decided to protest against the threatened bombardment of these unfortified towns.

DROWNED AT GREENSBORO.

Parents in Charlotte, Lad Lost Life in Ogburn's Pond.

Greensboro, N. C., July 19.—Cassius J. Finley, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Finley, who are living at present in Charlotte, was drowned yesterday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock in Ogburn's pond, near Summerfield, this county. Two hours afterwards the body was recovered and was brought to this city last night. Mr. and Mrs. Finley were promptly notified, and they came to Greensboro on a late train. The funeral arrangements have not been completed, but it is probable that the burial will take place in Memphis, Tenn., the former home of the family.

FIRE SUFFERERS GIVEN HELP.

Minnesota Red Cross Sends $5,000 to the Victims in Michigan.

Bay City, Mich., July 19.—Capt. Luther Beckwith, in charge of the ruined cities of Oscoda and Au Sable, and other fire-devastated territory, has received a telegram from the Minnesota Red Cross Society, advising him that the society had sent State Treasurer Sleeper $2,500 for the fire relief fund.

This is the first aid from outside the State, and, according to the telegram, is sent in remembrance of the fact that several years ago, when Minnesota suffered heavy losses by forest fires, Michigan was the first State to send aid to Minnesota.

BIG ARSON TRUST IS CHARGE

Illinois Fire Marshal Declares Gigantic Fire Bug Organization Exists. Spreads Over the Country. Doyle's Address.

Chicago, July 19.—That there exists a gigantic, country-wide arson trust with headquarters in Kansas City, and represented in nearly all the large cities, the members of which make a business of setting fire to buildings to enable the owners to collect large sums of insurance, was the charge made today by C. J. Doyle, State fire marshal, in an address before the Chicago Association of Commerce.

"The country is facing one of the most gigantic organized arson conspiracies the world has ever known," said Mr. Doyle. "The State fire marshal department of Illinois has united with the State fire marshals of Kentucky, Tennessee, and Ohio to wipe out the band of 15 men at the head of this arson conspiracy. The head of the fire bug trust is in Kansas City from which city the operations of the entire gang is directed. The tentacles of this octopus have extended, as the daring of those behind the plot has grown, into a dozen or more cities. They have been found at work at Bloomington, Springfield, Ill.; Pittsburg, Cleveland, New York, Buffalo, St. Louis, Chicago and elsewhere. Two of the gang have been convicted and are now imprisoned in a Southern city. The others will be behind the bars before long if we are successful in following the clues we are now working on.

"The fire bug problem is one of the most important which confronts the country. Even without the cases of arson, the fire losses of the country are appalling, abounting to about $500 a minute. In Chicago the loss is $5,000,000 a year, while in Berlin, the annual loss does not exceed $200,000. We should adopt the fire protection plans of European cities."

BONES TAKEN FROM MAINE.

Discovery Made in Mud and Rubbish on the Main Deck.

Havana, Cuba, July 19.—Fragments of bones believed to represent three bodies, were recovered this afternoon from the wreck of the Maine. The discovery was made in a pile of mud and rubbish on the main deck, almost directly beneath an inverted conning tower, which had been upset and hurled sixty feet aft from its original position.

The remains consisted of a skull, minus the lower jaw, the frontal part crushed in, several fragments of jaw bones and portions of vertebrae.

Other splintered fragments were not identified. The bones are discolored and coral encrusted, and possibly unless the teeth afford some clue, they will be listed among the "unknown."

All were taken in charge by the official undertaker.

The work of exploring the wreck was interrupted today by the necessity of letting in four feet of water for the purpose of floating a scow used as a receptacle for wreckage, which grounded in the mud. Probably the last of the water surrounding the wreck will be pumped out in a day or two.

SPLIT AT HARRISBURG, PA.

Two Factions Held Separate Committee Meetings Yesterday.

Harrisburg, Pa., July 19.—The expected split in the Democratic State Central Committee came about today when the two factions in the party held separate State committee meetings and completely reorganized.

While there were wide differences between the two factions on party matters, both agreed to one proposition and that was the endorsement of Governor Woodrow Wilson, of New Jersey, for the Democratic Presidential nomination. Each meeting passed a resolution to that effect. The only other Presidential boom in town was that of Governor Judson Harmon, of Ohio. Cards calling attention to his availability were tacked about the hotels and some literature urging the Ohio governor's claims also appeared.

The trouble in the party was brought to a climax by the showing made at the gubernatorial election last Fall when the Democratic voters split on two candidates. The dissatisfaction led to the appointment of a committee of seven to re-organize the party. No agreement could be reached and the result was today's split.

DEATH FROM CHOLERA.

Occurred at New York Quarantine Station Yesterday.

New York, July 19.—Another death from Asiatic cholera occurred at the Swinburne Island hospital station of the New York quarantine station today. The victim was Giuseppe Pettinicchia, 32 years old, who arrived here on the steamer Moltke.

Notwithstanding this additional death, making the count seven at this port, Health Officer Alvah H. Doty issued a statement tonight in which he said the situation was satisfactory. No further cases of the disease have developed among the detained immigrants.

ENGINEER DIES AT THROTTLE.

Fatally Stricken While Train Does Forty Miles an Hour.

Pensacola, Fla., July 19.—While his freight engine speeded along at a 40-mile clip, Engineer George McDonald of the Pensacola and Perdido Railroad late yesterday toppled from his seat in the cab to the floor dead.

Acute indigestion, due to eating watermelon, caused his death. The fireman quickly reversed the engine and hurried back to this city with the body.

FEDERAL CONTROL IS FURTHER URGED

Speech of Wickersham in Minnesota Nothing Short of Sensational.

TAKES AN ADVANCED STAND

Asks Federal Regulation of Industrial Organizations—His Most Radical Speech Since He Entered Official Life.

Duluth, Minn., July 19.—Attorney General Wickersham, before the Minnesota State Bar Association here today took an advance stand on the further Federal regulation of corporations and declared that a government commission to regulate great industrial organizations, in the same way that the Inter-State Commerce Commission regulates railways, was certainly most desirable, and that it might be absolutely necessary.

Mr. Wickersham's speech was little short of sensational in many of its features. He declared that it was a matter of serious consideration whether it would be practical to give to the proposed inter-State corporation comsion should not be given the power to fix prices. To do this in theory, would simply require an extension of the principle by which the Inter-State Commerce Commission controls the rates on railroads.

The law of supply and demand, Mr. Wickersham said, no longer controls prices of the United States. For years, he declared, the prices in all the great staple industries have been fixed by an agreement between the principal producers and not by a normal play of free competition. An inter-State commission such as proposed, the Attorney General added, would prevent violations of the anti-trust act and aid business men to maintain a continued status of harmony with the requirements of law.

Many of Mr. Wickersham's declarations were the most radical he has made since his entrance into official life. With the weight of an administration officer behind them, his remarks made a deep impression. There was nothing in the speech, however, to indicate how far the Attorney General reflected the views of President Taft. On several occasions in the past, however, he has been regarded as a spokesman for the administration.

The Attorney General discussed the general question of what further regulation of inter-State commerce is necessary or desirable, from a broad point of view and said that he had not attempted to express a conclusion but merely to state the elements of a great problem which goes to the root of the prosperity of the American people.

"That some further regulation over corporations carrying on commerce among the States is necessary," he said, "it is, however, coming to be generally recognized. It has been openly advocated quite recently by representatives of some of the largest combinations of capital, probably as a means of salvation, and to preserve under government supervision, great organizations whose continued existance is menaced by the recent interpretation of the Sherman act, and disintegration of which would be necessarily attended with much loss. To such, it is a case of 'any port in a shipwreck.' Better continued cooperative life, even under a powerful master, than disseminated properties and segragated activities without constant governmental supervision.

"But there are other reasons for such regulation. The Federal Department of Justice is not organized or equipped to maintain constant supervision and control over business organizations. It deals only with cases of violation of the law. The activities of an administrative board or commission would be directed to preventing such violations, and in aiding business men to maintain a continued status of harmony with the requirements of law.

"Whether or not such a Federal Industrial Commission should have power to regulate prices is, of course, a matter for serious consideration. The Inter-State Commerce law prescribes as a legislative rule that prices for transportation by rail, or wire, or pipe line, shall be reasonable, and that no unjust discrimination shall be made between individuals or localities similarly situated. A similar rule might be declared by Congress with respect to the prices of commodities the subject of inter-State commerce.

"We have become accustomed to the regulation of rates of transportation, but the suggestion that prices of commodities be regulated by Congress seems novel and radical. Yet the principle on wnich the regulation of transportation rates is based is simply that when property is used in a manner to make it of public consequence and effect the community at large it becomes clothed with a public use, and may be controlled by the public for the common good. In the early days in some parts of this country statutes were enacted to regulate the business of millers and the rates they might charge for grinding. At that time it was a matter of public concern that every farmer should have the right to

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SPORTING NEWS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At New York, 4; Cincinnati, 2.
At Boston, 3; Chicago, 5.
At Philadelphia, 5; Pittsburg, 4.
At Brooklyn, 2; St. Louis, 4.
Second: St. Louis, 8; Brooklyn, 5.

Standing of the Clubs.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	52	31	.626
Chicago	49	31	.613
New York	49	32	.605
St. Louis	49	34	.590
Pittsburg	43	37	.538
Cincinnati	33	46	.418
Brooklyn	30	50	.375
Boston	20	62	.244

Boston, July 19.—Doyle won today's game for Chicago 5 to 3 in the 11th inning by batting a home run over the left field fence, scoring Hofman ahead of him.

Chicago .. ...000 000 030 02—5 10 5
Boston.. .. ..010 100 001 00—3 9 1

Toney, Brown and Archer; Pfeffer, Mattern and Kling. Time 2:15. Umpires O'Day and Emslie.

Philadelphia, July 19.—Philadelphia won today's game 5 to 4, and made a clean sweep of the series of four games with Pittsburg. Adams pitched great ball until the ninth inning when he weakened and forced in the winning run with a pass to Titus.

Pittsburg .. .. ..022 000 000—4 10 4
Philadelphia ....000 200 012—5 7 1

Adams and Gibson; Beebe, Chalmers and Dooin. Time 1:55. Umpires Klem and Brennan.

New York, July 19.—The Giants won the last game of the series by hitting Humphries hard, and in timely fashion. Merkle hit for a home run, a double and a single.

Cincinnati .. ..001 100 000—2 8 0
New York .. ..003 010 00x—4 11 1

Humphries, Gasper and McLean; Amos and Wilson. Time 1:50. Umpires Johnstone and Eason.

Brooklyn, July 19.—St. Louis took both games of today's double header 4 to 3 and 8 to 5. In all but one inning of the first contest Steele was invincible. Brooklyn appeared to have the second game safe, but in the fifth inning, Scnardt was hit for two home runs, three doubles and a single which netted seven runs.

St. Louis .... ..100 300 000—4 7 2
Brooklyn .... ..000 200 000—2 6 0

Steel and Bresnahan; Barger and Erwin. Time 2:05. Umpires Rigler and Finneran.

Second game:

St. Louis .... ..000 010 070—8 13 3
Brooklyn .... ..200 003 000—5 8 1

Geyer, Sallee and Bliss; Schardt, Burke, Bergen and Erwin. Time 2:10. Umpires Rigler and Finneran.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Cleveland, 2; Boston, 10.
No other games scheduled.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Detroit	59	24	.711
Philadelphia	53	29	.646
Chicago	42	39	.519
Cleveland	44	43	.506
New York	41	41	.500
Boston	43	42	.494
Washington	29	55	.345
St. Louis	22	60	.269

Cleveland, July 19.—After winning nine straight games Cleveland lost today to Boston 10 to 2. Young was knocked out of the box in the third, while Kaler was hit hard. Woods' batting and pitching featured.

Cleveland ...000 0101 000— 2 9 4
Boston .. ....312 200 011—10 16 3

Young, Kaler and Smith; Wood and Carrigan. Time 2:11. Umpires Mullen and Perrine.

No other games scheduled.

17 INNINGS TO A TIE.

Goldsboro and Whitakers Play Beautiful Game to a Standstill.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Goldsboro, N. C., July 19.—About 300 faithful fans witnessed the opening ball game this afternoon between the newly organized Goldsboro Giants and the excellent team from Whitaker's and though for a while dark dreary clouds threatened to break up the game, they soon cleared away and those who had braved the uncertain weather witnessed one of the most exciting games ever pulled off on the local diamond and as the last shades of evening had died away 17 innings had been played with the score standing 2 and 2, the game being called on account of darkness.

Goldsboro 000 002 000 000 000 00—2 7 1
Whitak'rs 020 000 000 000 000 00—2 5 1

Batteries: Pate and Watkins; Knight and Bailey. Struck out, by Pate, 16, Knight 8; attendance 285; umpire, Holland.

MAY REVISE HORSE RACING.

Gittins Bill Passed the Senate—Less Drastic Measure.

Albany, N. Y., July 19.—Hope of a revival of horse racing in New York State was aroused today when the Gittins bill making the plan anti-race track gambling law less drastic as to its provisions of liability for directors of racing associations, passed the Senate, receiving exactly the 26 votes necessary.

Racing interests have declared that the tracks in this State will not reopen as long as the law holding directors liable for gambling remains on the statute books. There was keen speculation tonight as to whether the bill will pass the Assembly and receive the approval of Governor Dix. Indications are that the measure will be brought up for final action in the Assembly tomorrow and a private canvass of the members presage its passage.

Kill More Than Wild Beasts.

The number of people killed yearly by wild beasts don't approach the vast number killed by disease germs. No life is safe from their attacks. They're in air, water, dust, even food. But grand protection is afforded by Electric Bitters, which destroy and expel these deadly disease germs from the system. That's why chills, fever and ague, all malarial and many blood diseases yield promptly to this wonderful blood purifier. Try them, and enjoy the glorious health and new strength they'll give you. Money back, if not satisfied. Only 50c. at R. R. Bellamy's.

Carolina League.

At Winston-Salem 2; Greenville 4.
At Anderson 7; Spartanburg 6.
At Charlotte 5; Greensboro 0.

Southern League.

At Atlanta 5; Mobile 3.
At Nashville 4; New Orleans 1.
At Chattanooga 0; Birmingham 2.
At Memphis 9; Montgomery 2.

Virginia League.

At Danville 2; Richmond 1.
At Norfolk 9; Lynchburg 1.
At Petersburg 1; Roanoke 0.

American Association.

At Indianapolis 6; Toledo 1.
At Milwaukee 8; Kansas City 5.
At Columbus 8; Louisville 7.

Eastern League.

At Newark 4; Jersey City 1.
2nd: Jersey City 1; Newark 0.
At Toronto 3; Rochester 2.
2nd: Rochester 1; Toronto 11.
At Montreal 4; Buffalo 5.
2nd: Buffalo 0; Montreal 2.

South Atlantic League.

At Augusta 2; Jacksonville 3.
2nd: Jacksonville 4; Augusta 0.
At Savannah 1; Columbus 5.
At Charleston 1; Albany 3.
2nd: Albany 1; Charleston 3.
At Columbia 3; Macon 0.

Appalachian League.

At Knoxville 4; Bristol 4; (11 innings, darkness.)
At Cleveland 4; Asheville 5; (13 innings.)
At Morristown 6; Johnson City 5.

DE LABARRA GETS RESIGNATION

Mexican Secretary of War Gives Up His Place.

Mexico City, July 19.—President De LaBarra today received and accepted the resignations of the Secretary of War, General Eugenio Rascon and the assistant Secretary of War, General M. Duarn.

General Gonzales Salas was appointed assistant secretary. President De LaBarra declined to make public the reason for the withdrawal of the Secretary and assistant Secretary of War. No successor so far as is known has been chosen to succeed General Rascon.

The most plausible reason for the retirement of General Rascon is that government by men who have been advisors of Francisco I. Madero since the close of the war, that he was too closely identified with the old regime. These men stated several days ago that Rascon would "have to go," and that his place in the cabinet would be filled by a man of Madero's choosing.

General Barnado Reyes has promised to be the minister of war under Madero in the event of his election to the Presidency and in view of the somewhat doubtful character of peace in the country as few newspapers have advocated his immediate appointment as minister of war.

That General Reyes will be the opponent of Francisco I. Madero at the Presidential election in October is the belief of many of Madero's personal friends.

El Healdo this afternoon published a message from Monterey saying something of a sensation has been created in that section where Reyes was governor for so many years by the discovery that a "high federal employe" was forming a club there to launch the candidacy of the general. Tonight followers of Madero declare the news is not surprising to them.

TREATY WAS RATIFIED.

Agreement Between United States and Great Britain Acted Upon.

Washington, July 19.—The treaty between the United States and Great Britain providing for the arbitration of pecuniary claims between the two countries in accordance with the general arbitration treaty was ratified by the Senate in executive session today.

The treaty provides that within four months either of the governments may submit to the other any claims which it desires shall be passed upon, the only condition being that the claims shall be grouped. All claims not submitted within the time specified are to be barred.

A tribunal of three members, one of whom is to be chosen by the United States, another by Great Britain and the third by the first two, is provided for. It is to sit in Washington. With the treaty there was submitted a long list of shipping claims against the British government and a much shorter list against this government consisting in the main of Canadian demands for the refund of hay duties. Many of the American claims are of long standing.

TOWN UNDER MARTIAL LAW.

Trouble at Agua Prieta, Mexico—Paymaster Arrested.

Douglas, Ariz., July 19.—Agua Prieta, Mexico, is under martial law and no one has been allowed either to enter or leave the town since 9 o'clock this morning. Capt. Romero, the paymaster, was arrested, when after paying off soldiers to be discharged, he insisted on taking their guns. Capt. Herrera ordered his arrest. J. L. Lubbert, customs collector, also was placed under arrest.

Several Douglas people who were in Agua Prieta are unable to get back to this side. Cannon have been placed in the streets and guards patrol the border, permitting no one to pass.

All customs officers at Agua Prieta have been put under arrest. Americans who were in the town when the trouble started have been permitted to return to the American side, but no others are allowed to enter. The Maderistas were offered $40 for their guns, but refused it.

CONVICTS CAPTURE CONVICT

Horse Thieves and Slayers Head A Posse That Runs Fugitive Down

Reno, Nev., July 19.—When Jim Antone, embezzler, escaped from the road gang of convicts near Carson yesterday, Will A. Wilson, serving twenty years for murder, A. B. Nelson serving eight years for horse stealing, and James Lyle, serving ten years for manslaughter, headed a posse and captured him in the mountain.

Antone when captured was soundly abused by murderers, horsethieves and burglars for breaking his word of honor given to Warden Baker not to escape. The convicts swore a month ago that they would capture the next man who escaped.

TRIAL OF DETECTIVES.

Dramatic Witness Tells of Raid in Indianapolis.

Erie, Pa., July 19.—Postoffice Inspector James M. Woltz, of Parkersburg, W. Va., was a dramatic witness for the government today in the case of Gilbert B. Perkins and Charles Franklin, private detectives, charged with using the mails to defraud. Woltz told in the Federal Court the story of the raid in Indianapolis on the Perkins office April 13th, 1911, and of the arrest of Gilbert B. Perkins and Walter, his son. He told of finding an envelope in the pocket of Gilbert Perkins, in which were strips of paper, torn from letters, and which subsequently matched the torn edges of the Black-Hand letters received by Charles H. Strong, the Erie millionaire.

Woltz said the raid was made in an effort to find a portion of a casket lid that was stolen from the Scott mausoleum, in Erie cemetery. The government officials failed to find the casket lid, Woltz explained, but they did obtain possession of the strips of paper for which they were also searching, and these he produced on the witness stand.

The witness told of taking all the evidence from the Perkins office to Pittsburg and meeting Inspectors Craighead and Oldfield. He said they had the Black Hand letters and the pieces he had fitted the letters perfectly.

Earlier in the day, Mrs. C. H. Strong testified to employing the Perkins detectives to run down the cemetery marauders and that Perkins said he knew who they were, but feared to make any arrest lest they wreaked vengeance on her. Mrs. Strong said that when the first letter was received and it was turned over to Perkins, the latter said:

"That's just what I expected," adding, "you will probably receive another one."

WOULD DESTROY ORGANIZATION

First Guns of Mill Owners Fired Against Timber Workers.

New Orleans, July 19.—A determined effort to break up the recently organized National Brotherhood of Timber Workers was decided upon here today at a meeting of lumber operators from East Texas, Louisiana and South Mississippi. The first guns of the mill owners will be fired Monday of next week, when ten large mills in Calcasieu and Vernon Parishes, La., representing a daily output of a million and a half feet of lumber, will be closed for an indefinite period. Already five large mills in these two parishes have been closed down and after Monday a total of several thousand mill employes in Calcasieu and Vernon will be idle.

The mill men regard the National Brotherhood of Timber Workers as a socialist movement not affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

DENOUNCED THE REPORT.

Minority Report With Reference to State Department is Filed.

Washington, July 19.—Denouncing the report of the majority members of the Special House Committee that investigated the transaction involving the portrait of former Secretary of State Day as partisan and scandalmonging the minority report of the committee was submitted to the House today, signed by Representatives Tilson, of Connecticut, and Wedemeyer, of Michigan.

The majority report recommending the dismissal of former Chief Clerk Michael, of the State Department, and Thomas Morrison, present disbursing clerk, was assailed by the minority as "a weak partisan effort to make scandal."

HUSBAND OVERTAKES ELOPERS.

Also Recovers Little Daughter, After Chase of 40,000 Miles.

Stockton, Cal., July 19.—After a pursuit in which he says he has traveled about 40,000 miles, J. M. Abercrombie, of Marietta, Ga., last night overtook his wife, who is in jail here, as is Nolan Blatelock, her companion. Abercrombie also recovered his five-year-old daughter Pauline.

Mrs. Abercrombie and Blatelock were held here on telegraphic orders from Georgia. Abercrombie found his daughter at the juvenile court detention home. He says he will prosecute his wife and Blatelock.

DOWNWARD COURSE

Fast Being Realized by Wilmington People.

A little backache at first.
Daily increasing till the back is lame and weak.
Urinary disorders quickly follow;
Diabetes and finally Bright's disease.

This is the downward course of kidney ills.

Doon't take this course. Follow the advice of a Wilmington citizen.

Miss Maggie Rivenbark, 105 Dock St., Wilmington, N. C., says: "You are welcome to continue the use of my former public endorsement of Doan's Kidney Pills, for they gave me lasting benefit. I value this remedy highly in return for what it did for me. There was a constant, dull pain in the small of my back and some days I could hardly get about the house. The kidney secretions bothered me and I had but little strength or energy. I used several tonics and remedies, but nothing gave me relief until I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills, which were procured from Bellamy's drug store. They proved to be just what I required and it did not take them long to make me well."

For sale by all dealers. Price, 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

BURDEN UPON REPUBLICANS

House Democrats Watching the Outcome of the Tariff Legislation.

Washington, July 19.—Democratic leaders in the House are closely watching developments in the Senate as the time approaches for action on legislation initiated in the lower branch. Their expressed position is that Senator LaFollette's wool bill is now likely to be tacked to the farmers' free list as a rider and that the Senate Demrocats will keep the bills separated.

The House leaders say they feel that after the LaFollette bill has been voted down in the Senate the Republican insurgent Senators may be induced to vote with the Democrats on the Underwood woolen schedule bill.

The Democratic leaders contend that the LaFollette bill is not really a revenue raising measure in the same sense as the Underwood bill. House Democrats have taken the view that they would rather have the Underwood bill defeated than to accept the LaFollette bill. In that event the Democrats claim they would be in a good position to go before the country on the defeated measure.

Altoona, Pa., July 19.—Dr. Hugh Pitcairn, president of the Altoona Tribune Company, and former United States consul general at Hamburg, Germany, died tonight at Hamburg, to which city he had gone in May in the hope of benefitting his health. Dr. Pitcairn was born in Johnston, Scotland, in 1845.

BURIED AN HOUR; IS RESCUED.

Evans Was Blue in Face When Dug Out.

Richmond, Va., July 19.—Buried alive under thousands of pounds of rain-soaked earth for over an hour, Robert E. Evans, employed in excavating a sewer trench at the new postoffice building, lives and will recover from his experience.

Evans was working in a 10-foot ditch, when suddenly the bank on each side began to slip, and before he could take a step or make an outcry an avalanche of dirt crushed in on him. Excited laborers attacked the pile with shovels, and after an hour of hard work succeeded in rescuing him. Evans was unconscious and his face was blue. With air restored to his cramped lungs, however, he soon recovered consciousness.

SEABOARD IN GEORGIA.

An Increase of $3,388,690 in Valuation During Year.

Atlanta, Ga., July 19.—An increase of $3,388,690 in the assessed valuation for 1911 of the Seaboard Air Line Railroad in Georgia was made today by Comptroller General W. A. Wright, who claimed that the company should show a substantial increase for the year instead of a decrease was reported by the company. The figures returned by the Seaboard were $10,668,990 as against $11,584,359 returned last year.

WATERMELON CHRISTENED.

Monster, Named "Hoke Smith," Exhibited in Washington.

Washington, July 19.—Watermelons grow so large in Georgia nowadays that they are christened. One weighing 62 1-2 pounds arrived at the House office building today from Grady county, Ga., consigned to Representative Roddenberry, of that State. It was placed on exhibition at the entrance to the building.

Carved on the rind was "Hoke Smith," the name of the Georgia Senator-elect and present Governor.

The melon, too large for shipment in an ordinary barrel, came carefully packed in a specially constructed crate.

ARSON, MURDER AND ROBBERY.

Are the Charges Against Three Soldiers of Fortune.

Los Angeles, Cal., July 19.—Warrants issued yesterday at the instance of the State Department at Washington, acting on a request of the Mexican government were served on Gen. John R. Mosby, J. B. Lufflin and Gen. Rhys Pryce in the county jail, charging them with arson, murder and robbery.

The action was taken under the provision of the treaty between the United States and Mexico. The accused men were arraigned and held without bail. Their hearing was set before Commissioner Williams for next Monday.

A National Searchlight

THE SENIOR PARTNER was disturbed. The little boy of one of the firm's traveling men was critically ill. The distracted mother begged that her husband be notified.

A Long Distance Bell Telephone call located him, but he had gone to a neighboring town to sell goods.

Would the Telephone people reach him? The Telephone people would try. They found him and he started for home at once.

The Universal Bell Telephone System is a national searchlight. It seeks the distant person for you and locates him if it is possible.

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF LAND.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned mortgagee, under and by virtue of the power of sale, contained in a certain mortgage deed, executed to the undesigned by C. H. Carter and his wife, A. P. Carter, on the 7th day of April, 1910, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover County in Book 59, at Page 571, will, on the 15th day of August, 1911, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House door of New Hanover county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described lots or parcels of land, conveyed by said mortgage deed, to wit:

First Tract: That certain lot of land beginning at the northeast intersection of Eighth and Orange streets, and running thence north along the eastern line of Eighth street, thirty-three (33) feet; thence eastwardly and parallel with Orange street, seventy-five (75) feet; thence southwardly, and parallel with Eighth street, thirty-three (33) feet to the northern line of Orange street; thence westwardly, along the northern line of Orange street, seventy-five (75) feet, to the beginning; being the western part of Lot No. 6½, in block No. 146, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington, N. C., and being the same lot of land conveyed by deed from P. Q. Moore and wife to said parties of the first part, bearing date the 7th day of April, 1908, and recorded in Book 58, at page 250, in the office of the Register of Deeds of New Hanover county, aforesaid.

Second Tract: That certain tract, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in Pender county, State aforesaid, adjoining the lands of Giles Bryant and others, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stake near a large sweet gum in the edge of a branch on the line of the W. & W. Railroad Company's lands, and runs south 58 east, about 12 poles, to a large pine, a corner of Giles Bryant's two tracts; thence with said line south 58 east, 25 poles, to a maple stump; thence south 20 east, 24 poles, to a pine, a corner of Giles Bryant's land; thence south 20 east, 20 poles, to a stake on the side of a ditch; thence about north 67½ east, 22 poles, to an old pine stump; thence south 46 east, 26 poles, to a stake near a black gum in a meadow; thence south 54 east, 10 poles, to a lightwood stump and small pine; thence south 45 east, about 12 poles, to a stake in a meadow, a corner of the Morris Tate lands; thence north 40 east, 54 poles, to a small pine in the run of Williamson's Branch; thence up the run of said brinch north 62 east, 36 poles, to the head of said branch, a black gum; thence north about 53 west, about 120 poles, to a stake in the Railroad Company's line (the old James' corner); thence with said Railroad Company's line south 19 west, about 71 poles, to the beginning; containing forty-five and one-half (45½) acres, more or less.

Third Tract: Situate, lying and being in Bladen county, North Carolina, on or near Lyon Swamp, adjoining Haywood Corbett and others, beginning at a pine with 9 pines and two black oak pointers, and runs thence south 42 east, 2,850 feet to a stake; thence south 64 east, 1,380 feet to a stake; thence north 20 east 1,419 feet to a pine and pine pointers; thence north, 26 west, 2,241 feet to a stake; thence north 83 west, 990 feet, to the beginning, containing one hunded (100) acres, more or less, and being part of the tract of land conveyed to the parties of the first part by Max Meyers.

This, the 8th day of July, 1911.

E. G. CARRIER, Mortgagee.
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SECOND GRAND EXCURSION to ASHEVILLE, N. C., THE LAND OF THE SKY, VIA SOUTHERN RAILWAY. TUESDAY, JULY 25th, 1911.

The Southern Railway offers another opportunity to visit this Fairy Land with its beautiful scenery and cool mountain breezes. Special train will be operated through to Asheville from Goldsboro, Selma, Raleigh, Durham and intermediate stations to Greensboro.

Very low round trip fares are scheduled as follows:

Leave Goldsboro 7:00 A. M..... $5.00
Leave Selma, 7:35 A. M..... 5.00
Leave Raleigh, 9:00 A. M..... 4.75
Leave Durham, 10:10 A. M..... 4.75

Tickets will be good returning to leave Asheville on any regular train up to and including Friday, July 28th, 1911. Rates in same proportion from all intermediate stations. Special cars for colored people.

For further information see your Agent or address,

J. O. JONES,
Traveling Passenger Agent,
215 Fayetteville St.,
jl 14-3t. Raleigh, N. C.

EXCURSION TO WILMINGTON.

JULY 31st and AUGUST 1st and 2nd VIA ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

Account Reunion of the North Carolina Division of United Confederate Veterans on August 2nd and 3rd, the Atlantic Coast Line will sell excursion tickets to Wilmington from stations in North Carolina at an exceedingly low rate.

Tickets will be on sale July 31st and August 1st and 2nd limited to return to reach original starting points by or before midnight of August 6th, and the rates will be open to the public.

The above excursion presents an exceptional opportunity for a few days' outing at Wilmington, Wrightsville Beach, Carolina Beach and Southport as well as a most enjoyable participation in the elaborate programme arranged for the entertainment of the Confederate veterans.

For further particulars and tickets call on Ticket Agents, or address T. C. White, G. P. A., or W. J. Craig, P. T. M., Wilmington, N. C.
jl 13-tf.

NORTH CAROLINA, NEW HANOVER COUNTY.

Masonboro Township. Entry of Land, No. 9123.

The undersigned claimants, being citizens of the State of North Carolina, hereby set forth and show that the following tract or parcel of land, to wit: Lying and being in Masonboro Township, New Hanover county, North Carolina, and more fully described as follows, viz: Lying in the marsh of Masonboro Sound, on the South side of the main channel, and beginning at the mouth of Jennett's Creek, and running thence southwestwardly with the main channel of the Sound about four hundred and fifty (450) yards, to the mouth of Shell Bed creek; thence southwardly with the run of said creek about thirty (30) yards to a stake; thence a northwestwardly course to the mouth of a cut, where Cham Creek empties into Jennett's; thence with Jennett's Creek to the beginning, containing three (3) acres, more or less, in vacant and unappropriated land belonging to the State of North Carolina, and subject to entry; and the undersigned claimants hereby make entry of, lay claim to and pray for a grant for said land.

J. J. PINER,
H. B. SHEPARD,
C. H. STOKLEY.

Entry filed July 14th, 1911.

JOHN HAAR,
Register of Deeds and Acting Entry Taker.
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BIDS FOR REMOVAL OF SLOPS.

Bids are requested for the removal of all slops in the city of Wilmington in accordance with specifications to be had from the superintendent of health. Bids will be opened on the 25th day of July. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids. Mark envelopes "Bid for Removal of Slops." and address same to

DR. CHAS. T. NESBITT,
Superintendent of Health.
jl 15-5t

WHAT IS DOING AT WHITEVILLE

Hookworm Treatment—Crops in Evergreen Section—Bellamy-Godwin Congressional Race—Patients in Hospital.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., July 19.—The hookworm hospital now set up in Whiteville is extensively patronized. All day yesterday the physician in charge was kept busy examining patients. Among those who were examined are most of the Whiteville bar and several merchants. Most of them are taking treatment. Many severe cases of hookworm have been found, and especially among children. One of the worst cases was a man nearly 60 years old.

Mr. A. M. Benton, of Evergreen, was in town yesterday and says he never knew such crops as they now have in this section. But there is most too much rain for the good of cotton.

The little son of Mr. Lee Formy-Duval, of Whiteville, lies at death's door with typhoid fever. This is the only case we have heard of in Whiteville.——Mrs. Joshua Carter and daughter, Miss Penelope, will leave Sunday for Raleigh, Burgaw, Wrightsville Beach and Wilmington.——Miss Alice Springer, of Georgetown, S. C., is a guest of her brother, Mr. Julian Springer, at Lake Waccamaw.

The last of the series of very pleasant dances given by the Vineland band will be given on Wednesday night, July 26th. Several young people are expected from Wilmington.

Mr. C. H. Brown, of the Star Tobacco Co., of Mullins, is spending the week in Whiteville. He estimates the tobacco crop through this section at about two-fifths of an average yield.

Mr. B. H. Harnly has sold three farms recently, one for $3,100, one for $1,200, and another for $600, all near Chadbourn.——Mr. Pat Waddell, a leading merchant of Fair Bluff, was in Whiteville this week. He says that Fair Bluff intends to haul clay from Robeson county, and with the splendid sand in their river, build the best streets in the State. Their people are also organizing to build a cotton mill and quite a sum has already been subscribed.——Mr. Edgar High and bride, from Louisville, Ky., were in town this week visiting relatives of the groom. They spent yesterday in Chadbourn and will go from thence back to Louisville. They met a warm welcome from all.

The hundreds of friends of Miss Annie Reade Lewis will be delighted to know that she is doing nicely in the Highsmith hospital at Fayetteville and hopes to be able to return home next week.

Mrs. Strange Nance is on an extended visit to Chadbourn, where she will return until her mother returns from a trip to New York.——Miss Susie Geddie, of Stedman, is the attractive guest of Miss Gladys Thompson, at her lovely home here. Miss Geddie was in the music department of the James Sprupt Institute last session, and is a talented young woman and musician.——Mr. Robert J. Powell, one of our popular young business men, has returned from a stay at Seven Springs.——Miss Annie Fay Keith left this evening for Currie, after spending some time with Mrs. W. R. McRackan.——Miss Edna Prevatt, of Lumberton, has been on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Porter.

Mr. B. A. Anderson, of Fair Bluff, who has gone through an operation in the Highsmith hospital in Fayetteville, is reported to be getting along nicely.

Two sad deaths occurred in our county this week. Miss Sallie Fowler, of Clarendon, and Mrs. Martha Simmons, aged 88 years, of Crusoe Island.

The Farmers' Union of Columbus county will have a big rally at Hallsboro on July 21st. J. T. Glenn, State lecturer, will be present.

The biggest sensation of the day is the Bellamy-Godwin matter. Both gentlemen have friends in this county, and each faction is backing its man. It is generally conceded that if Mr. Bellamy cannot substantiate his assertion of that deal he has placed himself in a very unenviable position. The Morning Star is now anxiously looked forward to and crowds gather at the postoffice when the mail arrives. Those who best know Mr. Bellamy say he would not have made that statement without authority to back him. A prominent politician, who was at the Wrightsville Beach convention, says it was an open secret there that the arrangement exposed by Mr. Bellamy was then and there made, and he thinks there can be witnesses found.

MORE EDITORS IN CONGRESS.

Feature Address to the National Editorial Association Yesterday.

Detroit, Mich., July 19.—The feature of today's sessions of the annual convention of the National Editorial Association of the United States was an address delivered at a special session tonight by United States Representative Henry A. Barnhardt, of Indiana.

He declared that since "the people are sending more editors to each succeeding Congress, the dawn of the legislative millenium is correspondingly nearer."

The great duty of the newspaper man, he said, is to work for more possibilities, more health and more happiness for the people.

"In the great conflicts of public opinion for better things," said the speaker, "newspapers are a power for good or for evil, on the proportion to the 'back bone,' or the 'jelly' they show for public welfare.

"The newspaper that panders to unwholesome public thought is a deserter in the face of high public duty and the one that puts conscience above the counting room cash register builds mightily for larger blessings to civilization, both here and hereafter."

He denounced the policy of newspapers which blindly support the candidates of their party whether or not the candidates are worthy of public confidence and trust.

"Tell the truth and fear no man," he said "is the only safe guide to editorials in shaping the destiny of our country. When we do this the golden age of just law enactment, bad law abolishment and wholesome law enforcement will make ours a mightier and happier people."

FROM ASHEVILLE, N. C.

Adjourned Term of U. S. Court—Opticians—On to Mt. Mitchell.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Asheville, N. C., July 19.—The adjourned term of the Circuit and District Court of the United States for the western district of North Carolina opened Tuesday, Judge James E. Boyd presiding. The term was called primarily for the purpose of hearing one criminal case, that of Peter Kernan, charged with the illegal manufacture and sale of olemargerine; and one civil case, that of Gilbert vs. Hopkins, involving the title to many thousand acres of timber lands in Graham county. The former case was taken up first.

At a meeting of the directors of the Y. M. C. A. Monday afternoon, C. H. Burt, of Flint, Mich., was chosen assistant secretary of the association to succeed Assistant Secretary Frank Hawley who recently resigned to enter the ministry. Mr. Burt comes with a number of fine recommendations. He will begin his duties September 1st.

The convention of the North Carolina State Optical Society convened at Battery Park Hotel Tuesday. The State Board of Examiners began the examination of several applicants for license. The active work of the society will not begin until Wednesday, when the whole programme will be carried out.

Asheville now has a "fly proof" city market. The screens have been placed by the order of the board of aldermen at the solicitation of the Board of Health. The city authorities are very active in fighting the advance of the fly and the market was screened almost as soon as the people began the agitation for it.

Reports from the engineering and clearing forces that are engaged in surveying and cutting out a bridle path from Asheville to Mount Mitchell, following the route of the proposed Crest of the Ridge Highway, are to the effect that both forces are progressing rapidly with their work. Recently several parties have been to where the work is going on and they all come back with enthusiastic reports of the beauty of the country through which the route goes. It is said that the route follows the ridges for the most part and that it goes through some places where horses have never been before. Where it is necessary a path is being dug out.

ARRESTED IN OREGON.

Young Lad Wanted for Robbing the Postoffice at Cronly.

(Special to Charlotte Observer.)

Portland, Ore., July 18.—C. Fred Bradt, Jr., aged 17 years, arrested in this city for the robbery of a postoffice at Cronly, N. C., will be returned to the scene of his crime for trial. United States Marshal Colwell may accompany the lad to North Carolina, although this has not been decided.

There is a pathetic side to the case of young Bradt. It appears that the postmaster of the office Bradt robbed is also a physician. In an illness from which she died, Mrs. Bradt, the lad's mother, was treated professionally by the postmaster. Bradt declares that his mother's death was due in a large measure to the negligence of the physician and he declared he committed the crime merely to "get even" with the physician-postmaster.

Young Bradt was arrested in Portland where he was employed as messenger. He does not deny the robbery, although he disputes that part of the indictment charging him with the theft of money. He confesses taking about $8 worth of stamps at the time of the crime six months ago.

United States Marshal Colwell does not regard Bradt a bad boy, but has received an order directing the return of Bradt to North Carolina and in the circumstances, he has no other alternative and must comply with the mandate of the Federal court.

NO TRACE OF ENSIGN YOUNG.

Father Distressed Over Son's Disappearance—His Fiancee.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Concord, N. C., July 19.—The idea that Ensign Robert S. Young, who disappeared from the Brooklyn Navy Yards last week had been drowned is fast losing ground. Dr. Robert S. Young, of this city, father of the young man, was in New York yesterday, where he went from Washington in search of his missing son. A visit to the official quarters at the navy yards revealed no additional facts. The doctor said that he was heart broken over the actions of his boy, and stated that he wished to escape the notice of the public as much as possible.

Young, Jr., is the only son of the searching father, and the search will not be given up until every possible effort has been made to find the young man.

Miss Bessie Hayden Merritt and her father, of Norfolk, Va., are also in New York to assist in the search for the missing officer. Both the father and the fiancee of Ensign Young are of the opinion that he is not drowned but that he is still living and in hiding somewhere in New York City.

VERDICT FOR PLAINTIFF.

Mr. Roberts Got $6,954 From the Atlantic Coast Line.

Goldsboro, N. C., July 18.—The case of Mr. S. J. Roberts, of Mt. Olive, against the Atlantic Coast Line for damages, incident to a bodily injury received on one of their trains, tried in this county some months ago, and a verdict obtained for the plaintiff, who was represented by ex-Governor C. B. Aycock and Mr. John D. Langston, was settled today, after the Supreme Court had sustained the plaintiff's case on appeal by defendant. The amount, including interest, paid over to the plaintiff's attorney today was $6,954.

Escaped With His Life.

"Twenty-one years ago I faced an awful death," writes H. B. Martin, Port Harrelson, S. C. "Doctors said I had consumption and the dreadful cough. I had looked like it, sure enough. I tried everything, I could hear of, for my cough, and was under the treatment of the best doctor in Georgetown, S. C., for a year, but could get no relief. A friend advised me to try Dr. King's New Discovery. I did so, and was completely cured. I feel that I owe my life to this great throat and lung cure." Its positvely guaranteed for coughs, colds and all bronichal affections. 50c. and $1.00. Trial bottle free at R. R. Bellamy.

DAY'S DOINGS IN RALEIGH

Second Regiment Encampment—Ruling by Corporation Commission. Richmond Story With Raleigh End.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 19.—The Second Regiment companies start tonight from their various towns for Morehead to take their annual ten days' encampment at Morehead and with them will go Ambulance Co. No. 1, just organized here under the Third Regiment organization. They were not in shape to go with the Third Regiment last week. Now they have their 42 men fully equipped under command of Dr. Horton, lieutenant in command. They will carry their full field equipment.

It is a notable fact that there have been 60 or more members of the North Carolina National Guard hereabouts vaccinated the past two weeks with the typhoid vaccination points supplied by the War Department and that they have nearly all taken very satisfactorily without any untoward results.

The Corporation Commission has ruled that manufactured cotton goods placed in the hands of commission merchants or agents in or out of the State, is not to be listed for taxation on the ground that it is reached for assessment in the assessment of the capital stock of the individual corporation made by the commission. This has been brought about through the action of Tax Lister Price, in Rockingham, insisting upon listing the cotton goods on hand at the Spray Cotton Mills, the contest over which stirred so much interest a couple of weeks ago. The commission some days ago sent their ruling to the Rockingham county authorities and found its way to the public from that end of the line.

The girl, Ola Thaxton, the tracing of whose dead body in Richmond, where she died a few months after she left Raleigh, has a record here that is not one whit behind that she made during her short stay in Richmond and the stir that her brother, Lee Thaxton, has made in Richmond tracing the body has brought to general attention again this unenviable career. The police records here show that she was repeatedly in the work house here for drunkenness and general disreputable conduct, going to the depth of being taken by police late at night in a house kept by a negro woman and thoroughly drunk along with two negro men. She left Raleigh with Ringling's circus last October, just as she had finished a work house sentence. Her parents are in abject poverty, neither can read nor write. The father is a carpenter and he has often been taken to the city prison for intoxication. Mother and daughter were found by the police here during Christmas 1909 at a negro frolic dressed in men's clothes according to a statement made by Chief of Police Stell, of Raleigh. The girl's body has been found in Richmond in a pickling vat of the Medical College of Virginia awaiting dissection, being given over to this purpose because the relatives here in Raleigh failed to provide for the burial or have the remains sent to Raleigh.

A charter was issued today for the Phoenix Masonic Temple Co., Fayetteville, capital $100,000 by J. H. Anderson, H. McD. Robinson, H. S. Everitt, F. R. Hall, C. G. Rose, L. D. Jones, and F. B. Sanders, for the purpose of erecting and maintaining a Masonic temple in Fayetteville where Masonry is very strong. Other charters are to Grand United Order of Wise Men of the East of America, Wilmington, by Anderson Stroud and others for the spread of the gospel and charitable purposes; The Bostic Mill Co., Laurinburg, capital $40,000, by J. T. Bostic and others; The Leaksville Farmers' Warehouse Co., capital $5,000, by J. B. Taylor and others; The Garner Telephone Co., capital $10,000, by J. T. Wrenn and others for local exchange and connections including Raleigh and McCullers.

CONTRACTS FOR COLLIERS.

Awarded Yesterday to Newport News Shipbuilding Co.

Washington, July 19.—Acting Secretary Winthrop today awarded contracts for two colliers to the Newport News Shipbuilding Company at $995,000 each; for two colliers to the Maryland Steel Company at $952,550 each; and for two sea-going tugs to the New York Shipbuilding Company at Camden, N. J., for $194,000 each.

At the Beach.

Avoid the heat of the city by spending the day at the beach. The surf bathing has never been so fine as it is this year. Great numbers enjoy the surf bathing at the hotels, club houses and at Lumina. The beach season is at its height and gay crowds attend the dances at Lumina nightly. **

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$1.00 Kind at	.67
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.50 Kind at	.33

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No. 90, 13:10 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. (Leaves Norfolk 13:35 P. M. and Richmond 14:10 P. M.)	No. 91, a 1:00 A. M.
No. 81, * 5:45 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Columbia and Asheville, Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 80, *12:00 A. M.
No. 64, ! 5:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 65, ! 6:50 P. M.
*8:00 A. M. No. 85,	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Connects at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49, * 6:15 P. M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford. Pullman Parlor Car between Wilmington and Greensboro.	No. 52, * 8:05 P. M.
No. 55, * 3:15 P. M.	Chadbourn, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.	No. 54, *1:40 P. M.
No. 62, ! 3:25 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 63, ! 12:50 P. M.
No. 59, * 6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and intermediate Stations.	No. 60, *10:15 A. M.
No. 68, x 6:45 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 69, x 10:15 A. M.
No. 42, *7:00 P. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, * 9:45 A. M.
No. 57, * 7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and intermediate Stations.	No. 58, * 8:30 A. M.

* Daily. ! Daily except Sunday. x Sunday only. a Daily except Monday.

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IN EFFECT JUNE 3RD, 1911.

WEEK DAYS:

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
6:30 A. M.	6:05 A. M.
	6:54 A. M.
and every	7:15 A. M.
half hour	and every
thereafter	half hour
until	thereafter
11:00 P. M.	until
12 P. M.	11:45 P. M.

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
6:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
4:00 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

Freight Depot open daily, except Sunday, from 8 A. M. to 1 P. M., and from 2 P. M. to 7 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
7:00 A. M.	6:45 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
and every	9:15 A. M.
half hour	and every
thereafter	half hour
until	thereafter
11:00 P. M.	until
12:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.

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Ar. Wilson, A. C. L.	11:00 p. m.
Lv. Wilmington, A. C. L.	15:50am, *3:25pm
Ar. New Bern, A. C. L.	9:15am 6:50pm
Lv. Goldsboro, N. S. R. R.	*7:15am *10:15pm
Lv. New Bern, N. S. R. R.	9:30am 12:30am
Lv. Wilson, N. S. R. R.	*8:20am *11:30pm
Lv. Wash'gton, N. S. R. R.	10:50am 2:20am
Ar. Norfolk, N. S. R. R.	3:35pm 8:00am

SOUTH BOUND.

Lv. Norfolk, N. S. R. R.	9:00 p. m.
Ar. Goldsboro, N. S. R. R.	6:20 a. m.
Ar. Wilson, N. S. R. R.	5:05 a. m.
Ar. Wilmington	9:45 a. m.

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No. 45—5:00 A. M.—For Hamlet, and intermediate points to Charlotte, connects at Hamlet with No. 66, for Raleigh and points North.

No. 39—3:40 P. M.—For Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with through trains for Atlanta, Birmingham, Jacksonville, Norfolk, New York, and trains in all directions. Arrive Hamlet 7:40 P. M.; leave Hamlet, 8:00 P. M.; arrive Charlotte, 10:50 P. M.

Trains Arrive at Wilmington:

No. 40.—12:20 P. M.—From Charlotte.

No. 44—11:50 P. M.—From Charlotte and intermediate points.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 66, for all points North; at Monroe, with No. 53, for Atlanta.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 41, for Atlanta, Birmingham and Memphis, No. 84, for Washington and New York; No. 32, for Portsmouth, Norfolk, and No. 43, for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

Parlor car service will be maintained between Wilmington and Charlotte on No. 39, leaving Wilmington at 3:40 P. M., and No. 40, arriving at Wilmington at 12:20 P. M. Daily Pullman service between Wilmington and Atlanta, leaving Wilmington No. 39, 3:40 P. M.; arriving Atlanta No. 41, 6:15 A. M.; No. 38; leaving Atlanta, 9:55 P. M.; arriving Wilmington, No. 40, 12:20 P. M. Daily Pullman Service on trains 44 and 45, between Wilmington and Charlotte. Car open at Union depot for passengers, at 10 o'clock P. M.

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Lv. Durham	7:00 a m	5:30 p m
Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a m	6:55 p m
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p m	7:30 a m
Ar. St. Louis	6:33 p m	8:30 a m

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Thursday, July 20, 1911.

A plank might be a plank today and kindling wood tomorrow.

Turn the rascals out at Washington unless you can prove it on them.

We know who it was that got out that famous lumber circular. It was some fellow who saws wood and says nothing.

Don't disturb Democratic harmony now and then waste time trying to heal the breach during the next two years.

Somebody has "started it," and now it's the storm cellar for the fellow who can't stand up and let the wind blow through his whiskers.

The centre of population is in Indiana and Indiana is in the Democratic party. So long as we can hold Indiana down we will have the centre of population with us.

Of course, if civic virtue is going right on improving, we expect to see the day when a voter will think more of himself than to be caught riding to the polls in a free hack or an automobile. As it is now, it is a common thing to see the floating vote riding instead of floating.

The late Mark Twain left an estate worth nearly a half million dollars. Since his principal job was to tickle people, the footing up of the decedent's assets shows that he made a success of it. "Laugh and the world laughs with you" and even is willing to pay for being tickled.

Remarks the Durham Herald: "Mr. Kitchin may be busy in his campaign for the senatorship, but it will have to be admitted that he is saying mighty little about it for publication." Well, now here. The Governor is one of those wise soldiers who knows enough to keep his powder dry when he is going into a battle.

"Why did Senator Terrell resign?" inquires a Georgia paper. Why, he simply resigned for the fun of the thing. He purloined all the bases and actually stole a home run while Governor-Senator-elect Hoke Smith was at the bat trying to knock little Joe Brown clean out of the box. P. S.—Little Joe can see where the fun comes in.

The Senate is going to keep right on till it makes the election of a Senator look like putting a nickle in the slot. No candidate will be allowed to pay more than the equivalent of 10c. for each vote in his district. If it comes to this, voters will have to walk to the polls instead of waiting at home for the candidate's automobile to come and give them a free ride.

How long is a platform supposed to last after it has been "set down on" by the voters of a nation? How long must a fellow drift on the repudiated or rejected plank of a platform before he shall turn it loose and make for the shore? What should a party do after it gets spanked by one or more of the planks of its platform? Why was it "the boy stood on the burning deck whence all but him had fled?"

The Durham Herald remarks: "It took nerve for Senator LaFollette to introduce his amendment after what has happened to those introduced by Senator Simmons, Senator Bailey and perhaps others." The wily Insurgent didn't expect his amendments "in behalf of the people" to be tacked onto the reciprocity bill. He only wanted to expose the inconsistency of Senators who so blindly favored reciprocity that they turned down something better. He meant merely to place them on record.

THE MAN EATING TREE.

The vegetable kingdom seems to be carnivorous as well as mankind, for every now and then there is revived the story of "the man eating tree" that is alleged to exist somewhere. The story seems to have been revived in a book concerning which the Greensboro Record says:

"A book of good size, entitled 'Land and Sky,' throws considerable light on the man-eating tree, about which considerable has been said in these columns recently. Mr. S. J. Boulden has a copy of the book, a handsomely bound and printed volume of several hundred pages. A picture of the tree is shown, resembling the one sent to Mr. Bouldin from Washington, though its trunk is a little more pronounced and a native is caught in its toils instead of a dog! A graphic description of the tree is given, one of which is said to be in Central Africa, the other in South America. Of the former, it is said, that its branches are forever moving and grasping for prey, while of the other it is said that the limbs remain perfectly quiet until a human being is 'within their grasp, when it proceeds to do business.' The tree, it is said, is surrounded by a most inviting grassy mound and that the weary traveler passing and seeing the spot, lies down to rest, when the limbs get busy and take him in, sucking the life blood, when the body is permitted to drop on the ground. The author says, however, that while numbers of travelers have seen these trees, history fails to have anything to say about them. In any event, Mr. Bouldin finds fresh confirmation of his claim that he had read of the tree."

The man-eating tree is an old story, and doubtless there is something in it, although it has taken a vivid imagination to picture it with a man or a dog in its toils. We don't have to go outside of eastern North Carolina to find specimens of the vegetable kingdom that are carnivorous and insectivorous. It is said that in the swamps of eastern North Carolina there are vines which manifest every disposition to trip up a man when he is on a hunting expedition. As a matter of fact, there are many vines the tendrils of which will reach out toward a man or animal when they come near enough to be laid hold of. Probably it is the nature of the tendril plant to find something around which to twine, and true it is if we will observe any climbing vine we will be almost convinced that it knows its business, judging from the artistic and seemingly conscious manner in which it will wind its way around an object on which it depends for support. Did you ever watch a vine reaching out for an object for which it evidently has a purpose to use?

There are many wonders in nature, and all around Wilmington there are notable ones. For instance, there is the Venus Fly Trap which holds open a catcher that works like two hands opening and shutting from the wrist. Each hand is lined with a tender, velvety surface and when the surface is gently touched it will quickly close up on an insect or whatever touches it. Touch it with a pencil and it will clasp the pencil and hold it until it is withdrawn. However, nature seems to have designed it to catch flies, for the catcher has fringed edges with slim tentacles which lock together after the catcher closes, holding fast any hapless insect that may light on the velvet surface of the hand-like catcher of the plant. The operation is very much like that of closing the human hands and locking the fingers to make sure that whatever is within shall not escape.

Naturalists say the velvet surface contains a sweetish fluid which is bait for flies or other insects, and that the Venus Fly Trap catches insects, feeds upon them and drops whatever is left to fertilize itself. It probably does both, but anyhow it certainly feeds on the insect whether it fertilizes itself or not.

Doubtless, also, there are vines which will feed on a man by sucking blood from a spot where it entwines. We hear of such a find in Brunswick county, and it is said that if one will let it entwine about his arm it becomes inflamed where the blood is drawn to the surface of the skin.

Nevertheless, we don't propose to be drawn into any prevarication, but we will add that we have a species of the trumpet plant which has a sticky substance inside its cornucopia-like cup, and flies which go in to feed are held fast and become the victims of the plant.

ROCKING THE BOAT.

We do not pretend to criticise those editors of the State who have seen fit to speak out in meeting on political affairs generally, but The Star has deprecated what evidently is mistaken judgment in the open attacks made on the various candidates seeking the Senatorial nomination in the State. We doubt whether any State or any party could put in the field four more able, loyal, and invulnerable men as are now candidates for the Carolina Senatorship, but that other editors look on vulnerability from a different standpoint from us, is quite evident from the manner in which they have sailed into this fight. It is not one candidate, but all who have figured in uncomplimentary references, and it was against just this kind of business that The Star long ago gave warning. We foresee now rough sledding for the party, and if at this early stage of the campaign, about 16 months in advance of the primary, the thunder bolts are beginning to be hurled, we can surely expect a party so torn to pieces that we will be surprised if it even stands a chance of electing the next Senator.

Along the line that the Star has strived we find the Charlotte Chronicle saying this of the attacks started on Governor Kitchin, who is one of the four Senatorial aspirants:

"It has been the pleasure of certain politicians in the State to set running some insinuations as to the unfaithfulness of Governor Kitchin to his ante-election pledges to slay the trusts. Now the charge has been openly made by two correspondents in The News and Observer and backed by the editor of that paper, that Governor Kitchin is a recreant, or worse, That North Carolina has failed to drive capital from its borders in a fashion to suit these anti-trust warriors is a matter for which an intelligent Legislature is to blame. That Governor Kitchin did not find it necessary to meddle with the business of this Legislature, or impugn its intelligence, is a fact that should be written to his credit. Governor Kitchin's conservatism has galled a certain faction of the party, while it has pleased another and a larger faction. That the extremists have not been able to bend him to their will has always been a sore disappointment to them. We believe that in this matter Governor Kitchin will be able to make a good defense. We are perfectly willing to await his pleasure in doing so."

We see no way of staying the fight, but after all it may be a newspaper war that will sound louder than it is. We fear, however, that it matters not how the fight goes and who is nominated, irretrievable damage will be done to the Democracy of the State. It depends how cool and level-headed the voters can remain amid the fulminations of men more interested in the Senatorship than the law allows.

COME SOUTH TO SUMMER.

Yesterday The Star ran an editorial on "Tourists for All Seasons," holding out the advantages of the South, not only for Winter tourists, but for Summer visitors. Of course, the Northern folks know more or less about our mild Winters as compared with their own, but they would probably be skeptical when informed that the average Summer weather in the South is cooler and more delightful than that of the North.

The best proof of it would be to have some of our Northern friends spend the Summer at Wilmington's seaside resorts o in the mountains of North Carolina. However, a sojourner at Wrightsville Beach tells us that heretofore he has been taking to the mountains, but for coolness, bathing, yachting and fishing the seaside has the mountain resorts distanced. Of course, when we consider the combined advantages of the seashore we have to award the palm to the rim of the ocean.

As a sample of Wrightsville Beach weather during the last hot spell, when thousands of people in the North were prostrated or died from heat on account of temperatures of 100 or more, the very highest temperature at Wrightsville Beach was 79 degrees. That was at 1:30 P. M., July 10th when temperatures all over the country were reported at from 95 to 100 or more. On July 11th, 12th and 13th the highest at Wrightsville Beach was 78. July 14th at 1:30 P. M., it was 69 and at 2 P. M. 67. On the 15th the record was 72, on the 16th 67, on the 17th 75, on the 18th 67, and on the 19th, 65 at 6:30 A. M. and 75 at 2:30 P. M.

That is a record of coolness which, even through the highest, doubtless was without parallel in this country, while every night, of course, the temperatures went to various low records calling for cover and making sleep perfectly delightful.

No climate, either Winter or Summer, is comparable to that of Wilmington, and if we cannot get Northern people to come here during the Summer season at our seaside, we certainly could catch them during our charming Winters when roses are blooming about every month during the season. If we would build the right kind of hotels for Winter tourists, and provide golf links, automobile speedways, sports, and game preserves, we would soon make Wilmington one of the South's most famous resorts for tourists.

Senator Heyburn knows how to have fun by monkeying with the buzz-saw. He is the Senator who touches off the fireworks.

"You're a liar and also an infamous scoundrel!" said one lawyer to another. Of course, there was a fisticuf, but both men acted in a rudely unethical, very unrefined, totally unintellectual and flagrantly illegal manner. The charges of the party of the first part were unsupported allegations and the party of the second part could have sought vindication by an orderly investigation from which he might have come with flying colors, to the discomfiture of his accuser, because it is strangely difficult to prove anything in these days of conflicting testimonies.

The ungallant Richmond Journal remarks: "It isn't altogether a pleasant thought, and we hate even to suggest it, but the fact nevertheless remains that women's feet are steadily getting larger, or to state it more euphemistically, women are constantly buying bigger and bigger shoes." We do not believe there is a word of truth in this story about the enlargement of the pedal extremities of our lady friends. We believe they have wisely decided to wear their right size, having come to the mathematical conclusion that 5 won't go into 2 1-2 and have anything left over but corns and bunions.

Vice President Sherman accepted Senator Terrell's resignation just as if the Georgia Senator were responsible to him and not to the State of Georgia. If he can accept the resignation of the Senator of a soveign State and leave the State without representation, it would seem that he is a bigger man than Old Georgia. It would be interesting if Georgia were to dispute Sunny Jim's jurisdiction and raise the question whether one man, who is not even a member of the Senate, can annul the commission of the representative of about 3,000,000 people, or whether the resignation of a Representative is soley a matter for the State that sent him. The power which created the Senator ought to be the one to terminate the commission of its representative.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Next to guessing under which shell the pea is concealed, one of the most interesting games of the season is to forecast the department in which the next government scandal will break loose.—Baltimore Evening Sun.

It is given out that Lockhart wanted a solicitorship—or something—and, failing to get it, he is now out after his former friend, the Governor's scalp. Some people may believe it; but it looks to us that Mr. Lockhart has given a better reason than that.—Greensboro News. (Ind.)

We like to see fair play and if Mr. Simmons is to be censured for his stand on protection, Mr. Gudger, Mr. Webb and Mr. Doughton, all of whom voted against reciprocity, should come in for their share also. We don't think it exactly fair to put the whole blame on Mr. Simmons for voting for a tariff on lumber, but of course, those who want to defeat him do not care whether their method is fair or not.—Newbern Sun.

The Maxton Scottish Chief asks: "Was it through Senator Simmons' influence that Maxwell, the sawmill man, was given place on the State Committee?" Editor Harker did not read Mr. Maxwell's letter, or he would have known that it was through the persuasive powers of Josephus Daniels that Mr. Maxwell "was given place on the State Committee." It is unlike Editor Harker to attempt to make the false impression that his question implies.—Greensboro News. (Ind.)

When it comes to an examination of records, very few Democratic politicians will be found who have been strictly true to the platform of the party—who have really taken the platform as their political guide. But the Chronicle thinks it can name one—Congressman Claude Kitchin, of North Carolina. So far as we can recall, every vote he has cast in Congress has been in accordance with platform requirements. He has taken the platform as if it were in fact the Democratic bible and we do not know that he has ever made an attempt to warp it to suit his notion. This much can be said to Mr. Kitchin's credit without fear of contradiction. To him a platform is a platform and if his party finds fault with his speeches and his votes, it is not upon him it should frown but the platform it placed him on.—Charlotte Chronicle.

The battle is opening. Last Sunday M. L. Misenheimer and J. A. Lockhart, names familiar in North Carolina political circles, attacked Governor Kitchin's record on trusts in a long letter in the Raleigh News and Observer, charging that he was elected on a platform promising to swat the trusts, whereas he had backed away—jumped, so to say. This was followed by an editorial in the same paper, which paper is said to be favorable to Aycock, all of which is deemed worthy of reply and the governor is said to be preparing a statement for publication in which he will seek to make his position clear. It is a free-for-all fight in which we are not greatly interested, yet it is not amiss to say that there is a wide difference between the "trust-buster" and the man who would do things that amount to something. The thing to be deplored is that we are approaching the time when the entire State will be in the grasp of a miserable controversy, that bodes no good to the people or to the party. The party can go hang; the worst feature is that the people will suffer.—Greensboro Record.

BLUE AND GRAY REUNION.

Memorial Pavilion Dedicated at Manassas, Va.

Manassas, Va., July 19.—The memorial pavilion from which President Taft and Governor Mann will witness the reunion of the Blue and Gray on Friday, was dedicated today. Speeches were made by several prominent Union and Confederate veterans who took part in the battle of Bull Run 50 years ago. The pavilion was the gift of the United Daughters of the Confederacy and badges of honor were presented to veterans. United States cavalry gave an exhibition drill.

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FOUR DIE IN AUTO WRECK.

Machine Struck by Fast Passenger Train at Troy, N. Y.

Troy, N. Y., July 19.—Four women were killed and a chauffeur seriously injured in an automobile accident at Raceville, seven miles north of Granville, late today. The dead are Mrs. Charles Wells, Jr., Mrs. Geo. W. Yates and Mrs. Charles Grant, of Saratoga Springs, and Mrs. F. M. Robinson, of Boston, Mass. The chauffeur, Charles Ostrander, had both legs and one arm broken, besides sustaining internal injuries, and may not recover.

The automobile was struck on a grade crossing by a Delaware and Hudson passenger train, as the automobilists were returning from Williamstown, Mass.

Ostrander saw the train approaching and shifted his gear from low to high in an effort to get across. In shifting the gear, however, he lost the spark, and the big touring car stopped in the middle of the tracks.

V. C. CO., STOCKHOLDERS.

Three New Directors Elected in New York Yesterday.

New York, July 19.—At the annual stockholders' meeting of the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company here today, T. S. Young was chosen to the board of directors to succeed J. B. Duke, J. N. Warren to succeed R. J. Reynolds, and J. A. Long to succeed N. W. Reynolds. The other directors were re-elected.

The stockholders voted to issue $2,000,000 worth of preferred stock out of an issue of $8,000,000, which was authorized in 1904, and of which $6,000,000 has already been issued. The stock will be offered to both preferred and common shareholders on a basis of about 4 1-3 per cent. of their present holdings.

Washington, July 19.—The revised cotton tariff schedule has been practically completed by the Democratic members of the House Ways and Means Committee and will be submitted to the Democratic caucus early next week. It will be presented in the House probably next Wednesday and Majority Leader Underwood expects that not more than ten days or two weeks will be occupied in debate.

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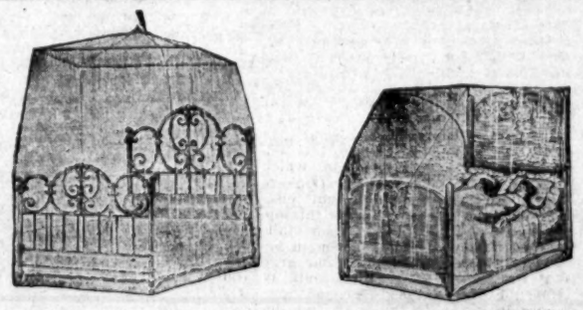

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DEFENSE OF COW ORDINANCE

Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt, Superintendent of Health, Speaks for the Administration in Prepared Statement.

Setting forth the position of the administration in accordance with the authority vested in him by the Council at its regular meeting Tuesday afternoon, when final consideration of the matter was postponed until next Tuesday, Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt, city superintendent of health, yesterday gave out the first of a series of articles he will prepare in defense of the cow ordinance, the enactment of which has caused such a stir throughout the city. The following is the statement of Dr. Nesbitt:

"The opposition to the ordinance restricting the keeping of cows within certain limits in this city, and the regulations which have been imposed for the purpose of creating as near sanitary conditions as are possible when these animals are kept on private city blocks, has forced the administration, through the superintendent of health, to defend its recent enactment.

"The ordinance passed was in itself a compromise for the benefit of those citizens who having cows would be willing to provide conditions under which they might be kept in a comparatively sanitary way. It is an unusual thing at this date for a public health officer to be called upon to defend any measure, the value of which has been so thoroughly demonstrated throughout the civilized world. There is no sanitary necessity so completely demonstrated as that which prohibits the close association of men, cows, pigs, goats and chickens as has existed in this city for so many years. The citi lots in Wilmington average 22x160 feet in depth. The houses are built so close together, and the interior of the block so taken up with outhouses and sheds, that the contamination of the soil has extended beyond belief. When the filth of animals' excrement is added to the filth of human habitation under these conditions, and the people are permitted to exercise their own discretion as to the number of animals kept on their lot, there is only one result to be expected, and that result is succinctly stated in the death rate in this community. The geological formation of this city is peculiarly favorable to the contamination of private water supply by seepage from the surface. Our soil is a loose, sandy loam, which is underlayed throughout the entire city by a stratum of shell conglomerate which is impervious to water. This stratum forms a sub-surface watershed which drains this seepage in many directions and as it seeks its lowest level, it must in many instances encounter the sources of private water supply, such as cisterns, bored and driven wells. Such examinations of these private water supplies as have been made show distinctly that this seepage is constant and general, and that those citizens of Wilmington who are so unfortunate as to depend upon shallow driven wells and defective cisterns are drinking this polluted water constantly. The ordinance which restricted the cow to one cow on the lot within certain limits in the city was a compromise which did not meet with the entire approbation of the superintendent of health. The reason for this is that the unrestricted keeping of cows outside these limits with the sole provision of a 50 foot distance between stable and dwelling will probably work a great hardship to the residents outside these limits. The keeping of an unrestricted number of cows upon this ground will with certainty greatly increase the prevalence of illness among the poorer classes on account of this increased contamination of private water supply. Most of the families in this part of the town get their supply from shallow driven wells and these wells are most dangerous of all because of the readiness with which they are contaminated by seepage. Our records show that the death rate among the infants in this district is much greater than it is in the central part of the city. Diseases which may be traced to water pollution are also more prevalent here than elsewhere in the city, and I take this opportunity of appealing to the fair-minded citizens of Wilmington in behalf of these poor people and urge that cows shall be excluded entirely from the city limits. Here as elsewhere in cities of this size and importance.

"It has been definitely demonstrated by experiment and experience that the cow is a potent carrier of tuberculosis. The same means have indisputably proved that the cow distributes tuberculosis in its faeces. If the cow has a tubercular lesion in the lung, the drainage from this lesion comes into the throat as in the human subject. Unlike the human subject, however, the cow cannot expectorate. Great quantities of this sputa are swallowed and the germs of tuberculosis with which it is laden pass unchanged through the stomach and bowels of the cow, and are thrown on the ground with the excreta, there to be drained into the nearby private water supply, or to contaminate the hands and clothing of the milker, the belly and udder of the cow. It can be readily seen that milk taken under these conditions cannot fail to become contaminated. An investigation conducted by competent authorities in the employ of the United States government, in the Department of Agriculture, has positively demonstrated that a much greater percentage of down and city kept cows become tubercular than those kept on farms where association with human kind and crowded unhealthful stables are not often found. Inasmuch as the death rate from tuberculosis in Wilmington increased more than 100 per cent. in three years, it seems necessary that this most fruitful source of infection should be abolished without delay.

"It has been thoroughly and completely demonstrated by competent authorities that the cow and pig cannot be kept on city lots without great danger to the inhabitants of the city and the animals themselves. The discussion and argument of this question is as superfluous and foolish as would be the dicussion of the utility of the multiplication table. The only thing that can be urged in defense of the city-kept cow is the unreasoning desire of cow owners to obtain profit and personal comfort from this dangerous practice. It is impossible for a reasoning citizen to demand this privilege if he understands that it is an indisputable truth that the gratification of his desire to continue to keep his cow means the possible destruction of his fellow-man. This is the most dangerous form of special privilege. It is individualism run riot. It is the gratification of the few at the expense of the many.

"Our records show that the death rate from meningitis and tetanus neonatorum (lock-jaw in the new borne) has increased in the city of Wilmington to an alarming extent in the past five years. The germs of these diseases are transmitted by means of manure contaminated soil.

"It seems unnecessary and superfluous to carry this argument in favor of the exclusion of the cow from the limits of the city of Wilmington any further. The Council of this city desire above all things the preservation of the lives of our adult population, and the privilege for their progeny of growing into useful manhood and womanhood. Next, they desire to proclaim to the world that Wilmington is ready and willing to make the most of her God-given natural advantages of climate and soil, and geographical situation to make this the cleanest, busiest and most beautiful city on the South Atlantic coast.

"In conclusion, I wish to urge in the name of humanity that the fair and generous citizens of Wilmington shall urge upon the City Council the necessity for the most stringent regulation of the keeping of domestic animals within the city limits. I would urge the complete exclusion of the cow from the city limits as a measure that is vitally necessary to the effort that we will make to control the rapidly growing death rate from tuberculosis. I would urge the same exclusion because of the prevalence of water-borne disease among the infants of the poor, and I would urge this complete exclusion as the inalienable right of the residents of the outlying sections of the city which will not be protected by the enactment recently passed for the regulation of the cow stable. These citizens will undoubtedly be subject to great inconvenience and discomfort if an unlimited number of cows are permitted to be kept on city lots in the vicinity of their houses.

"We assure the citizens of Wilmington that we deeply regret the necessity for this publicity. When a petition signed by nearly 750 of the electors of this municipality is presented to this body, it becomes necessary to publicly justify any action of it which may be in question. The basic principle of the commission form of government is openness and publicity in all of its transactions, and we can make no more potent justification of our course in this matter than to thus submit it publicly to the community at large.

CHAS. T. NESBITT,
"Superintendent of Health."

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

That of Wilmington Baptist Association Not Yet Located.

Editor Star:—I notice in the Star of the 18th that the Sunday School convention of the Wilmington Baptist Association will be held with the Baptist Church at Atkinson beginning July 28th and continue for three days. As chairman of the convention and pastor of Atkinson church, will say that no arrangements have been made up to this writing as to where the Sunday School convention will be held. If, however, I can find a church that will entertain the convention, I will give notice through the Star.

The convention was to be held at Riley's Creek church but the church asks that the meeting be changed because of smallpox in that community.

W. B. RIVENBARK,
Chairman Sunday School Convention.

SAYS GODWIN PROMISED.

State Senator Bellamy Is Running for Congress Two Years Hence.

State Senator Geo. H. Bellamy, of Brunswick county, was in the city for awhile yeserday, leaving in the afternoon for Wrightsville Beach. He stated that Congressman H. L. Godwin told him last February was two years ago that if he (Senator Bellamy) would not run for Congress and would support him to break the foolish precendent of defeating Messrs. G. B. Patterson and John D. Bellamy for a two-term office that he (Godwin) would support Mr. Bellamy heart, mind, soul and body for 1913. Mr. Bellamy said: "If Mr. Godwin denies this I will meet him publicly (but I can't believe that he will deny it)."

ATTRACTIVE RESORT FOLDERS.

Devoted to Wilmington Resorts and Southport by the A. C. L.

A decidedly attractive folder devoted to Wilmington, Wrightsville and Carolina beaches has just been issued by the Passenger Department of the Atlantic Coast Line. The folder or booklet is embellished with a number of views in and around Wilmington and is a credit to this section and the enterprising Passenger Department of the Coast Line. Wilmington resorts are given decided prominence and the folder will attract many visitors to these already popular resorts.

Medicine for the Hookworm.

The extent of the work being done by the Hookworm Commission in the counties contiguous to Wilmington is indicated by the amount of pharmaceutical compounds being shipped to the physicians in charge of the several dispensaries. Mr. L. B. Sasser, the well known Front street and Market street druggist, during the past week filled an order for Dr. Pridgen, at present engaged in Columbus county, for 5,000 grains of thymol. One order for capsules kept the prescription force of this trug store busy for several days in filling rush orders for the treatment.

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ASPHALT BLOCKS AND BRICK

Selected as Pavings to be Used on Front Street Improvement and Contracts Were Awarded. Lively Colloquy.

Front street, one of Wilmington's principal thoroughfares, is to be paved from the railroad bridge at the union station to the north side of Castle street, with asphalt blocks, while the space in between the car tracks and for 12 inches on either side is to be paved with vitrified brick. This was determined at a rather stormy session of the City Council yesterday afternoon. The contract for the asphalt was awarded to Mr. William Pannill, of Atlanta, Ga., at $2.59 a square yard, amounting to approximately $41,880 including new curbing and resetting old, while the Southern Paving and Construction Co., of Chattanooga, Tenn, gets the contract for the vitrified brick at $2.19, amounting to approximately $21,900, the entire work representing an outlay of about $73,780 for the 12 blocks.

This is a sort of compromise and was voted for by every member of the Council. At a conference held in the morning some of the Councilmen agreed to vote for asphalt blocks from the union station to Dock street and vitrified brick from Dock to Castle street, but after hearing the representatives of the different paving concerns Mayor Smith and Councilman Perdew announced that they would not vote as they thought in the morning. Councilmen P. Q. Moore and Tiencken stood firm for the programme mapped out in the morning. Councilman B. C. Moore was not in favor of the brick from Dock to Castle street, but rather favored a uniform pavement for the entire length to be improved. There occurred a sharp tilt between Mayor Smith and Councilman P. Q. Moore, resulting from a misunderstanding, and was soon settled.

Soon after the meeting was called to order at 3 o'clock, the following petition was presented:

"North Carolina, New Hanover County, to the Honorable Council of the City of Wilmington, N. C.

"Gentlemen:—We, the undersigned citizens, are property owners, residing upon and owning property on Front street in this city, between the southern intersection of Front and Red Cross streets and the intersection of Front and Castle streets in said city and do earnestly petition your honorable board to pave Front street between the points above indicated with 'asphalt blocks,' because we believe the same to be decidedly the best material to be used."

(Signed) Geo. R. French & Sons, first choice wood block; second, asphalt block; Munson & Co., first choice, bitulithic; H. C. McQueen, wood or asphalt; Murchison National Bank, wood or asphalt; F. W. Dick, wood or asphalt; Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Co., J. H. Hinton, Louis H. Skinner, T. W. Wood, Geo. O. Gaylord, The A. David Co., wood or asphalt; John W. Plummer, Jr., M. Rosenmann, Sternberger Bros., J. M. Solky, N. E. Bunting, J. Hicks Bunting, Samuel Bear, Sr., & Sons, W. H. Yopp, J. W. Duls, W. T. Farris, Martin O'Brien, Gieschen Bros., Thos. E. Cooper, M. J. Heyer, Cape Fear Club, The Rheinstein Dry Goods Co., Jas. M. Stevenson, Geo. Honnett, first choice wood blocks, second asphalt blocks; Chas. N. Evans, S. Jewett, Elks' Temple, C. W. Polvogt, James Howard, A. D. Wessell, Sr., Peterson & Rulfs."

Representatives of the concerns which had submitted bids for the work were present and desired to be heard as to the merits of their respective pavings and the demerits of the pavings of their competitors. There was some discussion as to whether the meeting would be an open one or whether only one representative of materials concerned would be allowed in the meeting at the time, but finally the request of a majority of the material men that an open meeting be held was granted. One hour and forty minutes were spent in hearing what they had to say and their remarks were interesting and instructive and they were given close attention by the Councilmen and citizens present. At 4:40 o'clock the material men retired and the Council took up the matter of deciding what kind of material would be used. This was the real question involved, for it was already decided that the contract would go to the lowest bidder for the material selected.

Councilman Tiencken asked to hear from Mr. A. B. Skelding, general manager of the Tidewater Power Co., which concern will pay about seventeen forty-seconds of the cost of the improvement, or will pay for about 10,000 of the 24,000 yards represented in the 12 blocks. He said that practically all railway managers are against the use of bitulithic or asphalt blocks next to the tracks. He stated that the company would ask to be allowed to put down either vitrified brick or wooden blocks on the portion it will have to pave. In this connection, Mr. Skelding suggested that his company has a treating plant for cross-ties and could get out its own blocks in case wood blocks were used on the street, and that this privilege would be asked.

Mayor Smith said that he favored asphalt or bitulithic before dinner, but he had changed his mind. Councilman Tiencken said that he favored the use of asphalt blocks from the union station to Dock street and vitrified brick on sand foundation from Dock to Castle street. Councilman Perdew stated that he would like to see the street paved in one kind of paving so as to make it uniform; that before dinner he thought the same as the Mayor but his views had undergone a change. Councilman P. Q. Moore stated that he favored the use of asphalt to Dock and vitrified brick the remainder of the distance.

Councilman P. Q. Moore protested against the suggestion that the Tidewater Power Co., be allowed to manufacture its own blocks in case wooden blocks was decided upon. He stated further that he is responsible for his department and that while he would allow the Council to say what kind of material should be put down on Front street he would not tolerate interference as to how it should be done. Mr. Moore stated that he does not interfere with other departments of the city and that he did not think it fair to him for the Councilmen to be always jumping in trying to tell him what to do and how to do it, or words to this effect. He declared positively that he would not longer submit to such treatment. Mayor Smith replied that all the Councilmen are responsible for the streets and have a voice in the matter and that Mr. Moore would have to submit to whatever the Council saw fit to do. Councilman Moore retorted that if Council told him to do something he thought wrong he would not do it and that the Mayor and Council have not the power to compel him. Mayor Smith took a contrary view and said that the Council is higher than the Councilman and that it can put him in the Water and Sewerage Department or any other department it sees fit. The Mayor said further that he is as as large as Councilman Moore, not physically, but in office, and repeated several times that the Council is higher than a Councilman. Councilman Moore spoke again, making it plain that he does not propose to have any interference in his department. It then developed that there had been a misunderstanding as to the position of the Mayor and probably one or two Councilmen as to the proposition of Mr. Skelding relative to making wood blocks. Neither had endorsed the proposition, but Councilman Moore received the impression that they were favorable to it. As soon as objection was raised, Mr. Skelding withdrew the proposition. Brief explanations followed and the Council then proceeded to a consideration of the kind of paving to be used.

Councilman Perdew moved that Front street from the railroad to the south side of Dock street be paved with asphalt blocks and the remainder of the 12 blocks with bitulithic. City Engineer F. F. Pillet, who has had several years' experience in the construction of improved streets, said that he would not recommend any sheet pavement on Front street. Councilman Perdew then withdrew his motion. In reply to a question Mr. Pillet, stated that the most popular pavement in Mobile, Ala., where he was formerly assistant engineer, is creosote blocks.

City Attorney McClammy suggested that only one kind of material be used and this material be the kind that could be put down between the car tracks in order to have a uniform thoroughfare. Ex-Alderman J. H. Hinton, proprietor of The Orton, was present and was asked what kind of pavement he wanted in front of his hotel and he replied that either wood blocks or asphalt. Mr. Skelding stated that the noise from vitrified brick pavement on concrete is not so great as inferred from the tenor of the remarks of those who spoke against the use of brick.

Councilmen P. Q. Moore and Tiencken held a whispered conversation, after which Councilman Moore moved that asphalt block be used on Front between the union station and Castle street, with vitrified brick in between and either side for a distance of 12 inches of the car tracks. Seconded by Councilman Perdew the motion carried unanimously.

Formal application of the Tidewater Power Co., to extend its track from Front to the river on Orange street was again presented and this time the franchise was granted on advice of the city attorney. Mayor Smith wanted to charge for the franchise, but the Councilmen did not agree with him. He voted against giving the franchise away.

A resolution was then adopted awarding to Mr. William Pannill, of Atlanta, Ga., the contract for asphalt blocks at $2.59 a square yard, and this carries with it the contract to furnish and set 6,000 feet of curbing at 59 cents, amounting to $3,540, and to redress and reset 4,000 feet old curbing at 27 cents, $1,080, a total for curbing of $5,620, and a grand total of $41,880, as it is estimated that the paving will cost $36,260. The same resolution awards to the Southern Paving & Construction Co., the contract for the vitrified brick at $2.19. There will be approximately 10,000 square yards of brick, amounting to $21,900.

The work will most likely begin in a short time and will be pushed to completion.

CAPT. ROBERTSON ELECTED.

Chosen Lieutenant of Hornets Nest Riflemen at Charlotte.

Yesterday's Charlotte Observer has the following which will be read with interest by many Wilmington friends:

"At a meeting of the Hornets Nest Riflemen held several nights ago Mr. W. F. Robertson was elected first lieutenant to succeed Mr. Brent S. Drane, resigned. Mr. Robertson was formerly captain of the Wilmington Light Infantry and only recently moved to Charlotte to live. He was also paymaeter of the Second Regiment with rank of major and held a staff position with rank of lieutenant colonel. Mr. Drane resigned because of the stress of work which would not permit him to give sufficient time to the duties of the office. The Hornets Nest Riflemen are very fortunate in being able to secure such an experienced and talented officer as first lieutenant. Mr. John A. Parker is captain of the company and Mr. Rufus Johnston second lieutenant.

"The Hornets Nest Riflemen will leave for Morehead City to go into camp the night of August 2. It is the expectation of those in charge to carry between 50 and 60 men this year."

Death of Infant Daughter.

Ruth, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Hudson, who live on Swann street, died at the family residence at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The funeral will be held from the home at 10 o'clock this morning, conducted by Rev. H. E. Beatty, patsor of St. Matthew's Lutheran church. Friends will tenderly sympathize with the bereaved parents.

REFRESHING SLEEP.

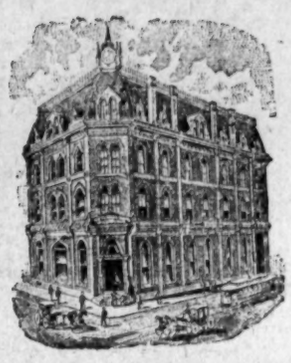
Horsford's Acid Phosphate.

Half a teaspoonful in glass of water before retiring induces restful sleep.

At the Beach.

Avoid the heat of the city by spending the day at the beach. The surf bathing has never been so fine as it is this year. Great numbers enjoy the surf bathing at the hotels, club houses and at Lumina. The beach season is at its height and gay crowds attend the dances at Lumina nightly **

THAT BIG WHITE BUILDING



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CORNER OF FRONT AND PRINCESS STREETS—THE MOST PROMINENT BANK CORNER IN THE CITY. :: ::

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THE PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK
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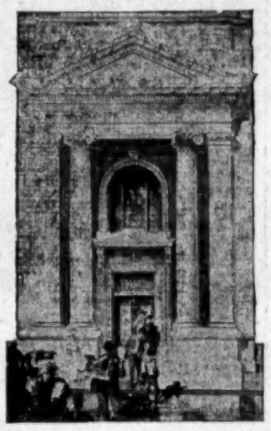

JUST AS THIS BUILDING is progressing gradually, carefully and with method, so has the BANK which is erecting it, perfected its service to the savers of Wilmington, affording them a depository of Character and Security.

The Wilmington Savings and Trust Co.

Capital and Surplus.....$ 300,000.00
RESOURCES.....$2,000,000.00

SHIPPING INTERESTS HEARD

Arguments Presented Before Lighthouse Commissioner in Regard to the Location of New Lightship on Frying Pan.

In the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday morning at 11 o'clock a meeting was held for the purpose of discussing the location of the new light-ship, and a number of strong arguments were presented by those interested in favor of stationing the light-ship at the Knuckle, where the gas buoy is now located, about 20 miles off the Cape Fear bar, and transferring the buoy to the present station of the old light-ship, about 35 miles from the bar.

Commissioner R. G. Putnam, of the Lighthouse Bureau at Washington, D. C., and Commander Field, of the Sixth Lighthouse District, were present and heard the arguments of a number of the business and shipping men who are back of the movement favoring the change.

President M. J. Corbett, of the Chamber of Commerce, called the meeting to order and, after stating its purpose, introduced Mr. Putnam, who made a strong talk outlining his position in regard to authority in the matter. He declared that Congress had given the lighthouse authorities increased power relative to the locations of light-ships, etc., and that the organization was ready to receive arguments as to the placing of the new ship. His statements made a very favorable impression on those who heard them, and judging from the tenor of his remarks it is the concensus of opinion that he is open to conviction in regard to the proposed change of locations and that hewould use his influence in having the transfer effected if the arguments presented convinced him that it was desirable.

Mr. J. A. Taylor spoke first, advocating the placing of the new ship at the Knuckle and the gas buoy at the extreme end of Frying Pan shoals, or that the positions of the buoy and the ship merely be transposed as they are situated now. Mr. Taylor's remarks were logical and he made a convincing plea, arguing the question from the point of view of the benefit that local and general commerce would derive from the change. He declared that several of the pilots present could explain the maritime advantages that would result.

Capt. Edgar D. Williams, the harbor master, made the next talk, advancing a splendid argument in favor of the transposition of the ship and buoy as now situated. He declared that under existing conditions vessels are misled, backing up this contention with the statement of the fact that two vessels have been wrecked on Frying Pan shoals in the last two years. He stated that the light from the gas buoy is visible five or six miles and that the bell can be heard for no great distance. He also declared that the light has burned irregularly during the past. Captain Williams advanced further arguments and facts tending to show that the change will make for the best interests of shipping, declaring that sailing vessels, especially, will be greatly aided if the new ship is located at the Knuckle. The harbor master stated that it was his belief that the percentage of wrecks had increased under the present arrangement of the light-ship and gas buoy. Replying to a question from Mr. Putnam as to whether two lightships are needed, Captain Williams expressed himself in the negative. He declared himself confident that all purposes will be served if the light-ship is stationed at a point nearer the bar, where most of the navigation passes, and the gas buoy at a point farther out.

Captains John Harper, St. George, W. A. Sanders and Messrs. F. A. Thompson and L. B. Rogers also made talks, all presenting convincing arguments in favor of the proposed new arrangement. The shipping interests here are convinced that the change is greatly to be desired and they are making every effort to have it effected.

After the speeches were concluded Mr. Putnam was tendered the thanks of the gathering for the hearing, and the commissioner expressed his appreciation for the courteous nature of the different addresses.

During the course of the talks Mr. Putnam made frequent notes of the various arguments advanced in the interest of the question, and it is hoped that his recommendations will be in favor of locating the new light-ship at the point desired by the local business and shipping interests.

MELON SHIPMENTS.

Watermelons and Cantaloupes are Now Going to the North.

The Carolina Fruit and Truckers' Journal in it's issue this weeks says:

"The cantaloupe and watermelon season is now on in earnest and shipments from points in North and South Carolina as well as Georgia are keeping things lively. The ruling prices thus far have been up to the average, although the supply at times has been in excess of current demands. In the case of watermelons there has been an oversupply in several instances. Weather conditions however, have much to do with both cantalopes and watermelons and the hot season being in full blast there is every reason to feel that prices will rule stronger from now until the close of the season. The peach and grape shipments have thus far ruled high in the matter of prices, but the supplies from Southern points have been decidedly limited. In other parts of the country the peach crop bids fair to be an average one both in quantity and quality. The cantaloupe and watermelon crops have become important adjuncts to the trucking industry to North and South Carolina, as well as Georgia and Florida and yields handsome returns in many cases to the growers. Local consumption for both products are always good, as well as foreign demands, and this affords a market at home as well as at a distance."

BIG EXCURSION YESTERDAY.

Six Hundred Visitors from Alma and Other Seaboard Points.

The largest excursion of the season, the party numbering something over 600, reached the city yesterday over the Seaboard Air Line from Alma and intermediate points. Only nine coaches were provided on the downward trip and the passengers were crowded but additional coaches were added here for the return trip last night. The visitors spent the day in the city and at the beaches and seemed to enjoy their brief sojourn at the seashore.

Of the 600 in the party, 238 came from Lumberton, N. C., and a goodly number from other stations this side of Alma, which is a small station near Maxton, N. C.

Danderine

Grows Hair and we can PROVE IT!

DANDERINE is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating, stimulating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow abundantly long, strong and beautiful. It at once imparts a sparkling brilliancy and velvety softness to the hair, and a few weeks' use will cause new hair to sprout all over the scalp. Use it every day for a short time, after which two or three times a week will be sufficient to complete whatever growth you desire.

A lady from St. Paul writes in substance, as follows:
"When I began using Danderine my hair would not come to my shoulders and now it is away below my hips."

Another from Newark, N. J.
"I have been using Danderine regularly. When I first started to use it I had very little hair, now I have the most beautiful long and thick hair anyone would want to have."

NOW at all druggists in three sizes 25c, 50c and $1.00 per bottle

Danderine enjoys a greater sale than any other one preparation regardless of kind or brand, and it has a much greater sale than all of the other hair preparations in the world combined.

Cut This Out FREE To show how quickly Danderine acts, we will send a large sample free by return mail to anyone who sends this free coupon to the KNOWLTON DANDERINE CO., CHICAGO, ILL., with their name and address and 10c in silver or stamps to pay postage.

SOCIETY

Mrs. L. E. Thomas and children, Miss Grace and Master Jack, left yesterday for a visit to relatives in Raleigh.

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Mrs. P. Q. Moore and children returned yesterday from a visit of several weeks to friends and relatives in Richmond, Va.

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Mrs. Leslie Gregory Smith, of Arcadia, Fla., was in the city yesterday, returning home from a visit to her parents at Clinton, N. C.

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Rev. Arsenios Davis, rector of St. Paul's Greek Orthodox Church, of Savannah, Ga., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Vafiadi, on Ninth street.

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Miss Lila Fisher Williams left yesterday to spend the remainder of the Summer with her parents — Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Williams, at Kenansville.

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Mr. Richard Riley, who has been a popular guest at the Oceanic Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, for some time, left yesterday for his home in Greenville, S. C.

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Mr. C. W. Rankin, of Fayetteville, cashier of the Cumberland Savings & Trust Co., arrived yesterday to spend a few days at the beach and is a guest at the Oceanic Hotel.

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Charlotte Chronicle: "Miss Clara Armstrong, of Gastonia, spent Tuesday night in the city as the guest of Miss Geane Robinson, on Elizabeth avenue, en route home from Wrightsville Beach."

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Mrs. A. E. Anderson and her little daughters, Evelyn and Rose, who have been visiting Mrs. Anderson's mother, Mrs. Ella Gillerlain, returned to their home in Norfolk, Va., last evening, accompanied by Mr. Anderson.

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Charlotte Chronicle: "Mrs. Henry B. Fowler and little daughters, Misses Elizabeth and Margaret Fowler, have returned from Wrightsville Beach, where they spent two weeks at the Seashore Hotel. Mr. Fowler spent the week-end with his family and accompanied them home."

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Misses Nell McLean, Anne McLean, Clara Armstrong, Johnsie Adams, Miss Adams and Miss Mason, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Adams, Dr. Glenn, Mr. Lawrence Jones, all of Gastonia, who have been spending several weeks on Wrightsville Beach, have returned to their homes.

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Charlotte Chronicle: "Mr. and Mrs. A. T. McCallum and Mrs. Lou Fulmore, of Red Springs, are spending a week in Switzerland before leaving for Germany. They are taking an extensive European tour. The other members of the party include Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McLaughlin, of Raeford, and Miss Anna McNeill, of Savannah, Ga."

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The Junior Baracas of Southside Baptist Church enjoyed a delightful lawn party on the church ground Tuesday evening. A number of friends and members of the organization were present and the evening was most pleasantly spent in games, etc. A handsome cake was awarded to Miss Sophie Kohler as winner of the Bible contest.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Reese and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bearden, of Atlanta, and a number of friends, guests at the Oceanic Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, enjoyed a delightful fishing trip "outside" yesterday morning. They made the trip in the launch Atlanta, Capt. Walter Marine, and succeeded in landing about 75 fine fish, of which number about a third were splendid Spanish mackerel. They only fished about two hours.

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Tuesday's Greensboro Telegram. "Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Klutz left yesterday for a visit of several days at Wrightsville Beach.——Percy and Kirkwood Dillon and William Townsend left yesterday to spend two weeks camping at Wrightsville Beach. ——Misses Janet and Irene Butler, of Reidsville, and C. O. Butler, of Winston, spent last night in the city, the guests of Mrs. Wistar Stockard. They will go to Wrightsville Beach to spend some time."

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Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Foster, of Wilmington, who are chaperoning a small party for The Eager Tours of Baltimore, have arrived in Paris. They will spend a week in Switzerland, and will then visit the various Italian cities returning to this country in August by the North German Lloyd. Among the members of the party from North Carolina are Miss Helen L. Atkinson and Miss Mattie Booth, of Durham; Miss Alice Brooks, Miss Celeste McEachern, Miss Fannie White and Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Smith, all of Wilmington; Miss Corinne Winfield, of Mt. Airy, N. C.

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Among the arrivals at the hotels on Wrightsville Beach yesterday were: At the Seashore: Masouver Moore, J. W. Moore, Culverton, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Tamend, W. B. Tammend, Miss Mary Williams, Hannah Tammend, Red Springs; Lee Simpson, Tomahawk, N. C.; J. W. Simpson, Currie; E. M. Flameing, Thomasville, Ga. At the Oceanic: Mrs. Vance M. Weill, Goldsboro; Wm. Jones, O. R. Brown, Red Springs; J. R. Holliday, Mrs. J. M. Holliday and four children, Atlanta; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Allen, Spartanburg, S. C.; Floyd D. Bunwock, Mrs. O. C. Bunwock and daughter, Columbus, Ga.; Mrs. E. B. Hornaday, Miss Minnie Hornaday, Ga.; Douglas Boyd, Griffin, Ga.; T. J. White, J. W. Gresham, E. Bussey, Griffin, Ga.; Mrs. W. L. Lee and two children, Memphis

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A SURPRISE WEDDING AT LUMBERTON, N. C.

Lumberton, N. C., July 19.—A quiet, but pretty surprise marriage was solemnized here tonight at 10 o'clock, Mr. James L. Williamson and Miss Della Wishart being the contracting parties. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. H. Durham, pastor of the First Baptist church, in the presence of a few intimate friends. The groom is a popular salesman for Mr. L. H. Caldwell, while the bride has for some time held a responsible position as stenographer for Messrs. Caldwell & Carlyle. Mr. Williamson is a native of Charlotte. Mrs. Williamson spent several years in Wilmington, where she has a large number of friends. She is a daughter of the late J. W. Wishart, who was for several years engaged in business in Wilmington. The happy young couple have the best wishes of many friends.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. A. M. Wallace, of Clarkton, N. C., was a business visitor to the city yesterday.

—Mr. J. E. Sandlin, of Verona, Onslow county, was here yesterday making business calls.

—Mr. J. Z. Green, editor of "Our Home," Marshville, N. C., was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. Frank Cashwell, of the A. C. L., who has been very sick, left yesterday for his old home at Fairmont, to recuperate.

—Master Archie McDuffie Glover, of Fayetteville, is in the city on a visit to his cousin, Master William McDuffie Bunting, on Grace street.

—Among yesterday's guests at The Orton were E. J. Hill, Warsaw; Nat P. Kemp and J. L. Pitkin, Charlotte; A. B. Cowan, Jr., Hamlet.

—Capt. J. R. Williams, who has been confined to his room for six weeks on account of gastritis, is able to be out again, his many friends will be glad to learn.

—Among those registered at The Orton yesterday were R. E. Peters, Charlotte; W. W. Whaley, Lumberton; S. F. Caldwell, Lumberton; R. M. Williams, Maxton; W. M. Curtis, Greensboro; Samuel Meares, Clarkton; W. T. Porter, W. Clemson, Emerson.

—Kinston Free Press: "Mr. O. T. Boney arrived in the city Sunday night from Wilmington, and has taken a position with Mr. H. C. Hines, wholesale grocer and jobber. Mr. Boney's family will join him here soon, and they will take up residence at their former home on McLewean street."

—C. Ed Taylor, Esq., of Southport, was in the city last night, a guest at The Orton. Mr. Taylor says that the rails for the new railroad to Southport had been laid within a mile of the town on Tuesday and the contractors probably reached the town limits yesterday. The completion of the line will be appropriately celebrated by the people of Southport and Brunswick county a little later.

—The following were among the arrivals at the Southern yesterday: W. E. Glenn, Charlotte; Miss M. E. Edwards, Miss Cuba Edwards, Miss Queen Edwards, Miss Pauline Helaum, Mr. Geo. Seiglebug, Bladenboro; I. M. Chubb, Atlanta; E. B. Smith, Lagoon, N. C.; R. H. Marshall, Elizabethtown; A. Bright, Greensboro; J. W. Pealor, Bennettsville, S. C.; Mrs. J. D. McPhison, Council; Miss Lillie McRae, Council; Miss Lucy McRae, Council; W. G. Porter, Kelley, N. C.; R. L. Tans, G. C. Spenced, Albert Rusk, Ashboro.

STILL HOLDING SESSIONS.

Work of County Board of Equalization Not Yet Complete .

Although it appeared at the first meeting Monday that the County Boarrd of Equalization did not have much to do and that its work would be completed in a few days, it appears now that it will take some days yet to finish the work, notwithstanding sessions were held Tuesday and yesterday afternoon. Citizens has appeared before the board at each session asking for reduction in the assessment on their property and it is likely that there will be a number present at the meeting this afternoon at 3 o'clock, when the body will resume its work.

A number of changes in valuation were made yesterday afternoon. The assessment on 572 acres of land in Harnett township belonging to C. H. Alexander was increased from $2,800 to $5,720, or $10 an acre. The valuation of the building of Allen E Jackson in block 236, was reduced from $600 to $500. C. E. Hall applied for reduction of the assessment on his property in Masonboro township. The board decided not to make any change. Mr. Chas. W. Worth was granted a reduction of assessment of his property in Harnett township from $4,500 to $2,500. Property of Capt. Edwin A. Metts, in Harnett township, on the point at Greenville, was reduced from $2,000 to $1,000, while a 6 1-2-acre tract of land was increased from $2,500 to $3,000. Property of Miss Eliza D. Metts at Greenville was increased from $1,000 to $1,100, while property of Col. John VanB. Metts was reduced from $2,500 to $1,200, on account of error. It was decided not to change the assessment of property of Clayton Giles, on Greenville Sound. The Winter Park Gardens Co., was granted a reduction on 299 3-4 acres of land from $11,000 to $8,500, and property of Eric Norton on Greenville Sound was reduced from $800 to $500.

A PLEA TO THE CITIZENS.

Confederate Veterans Ask That City be Decorated for Reunion.

In a card to the merchants and business men of the city, as well as the citizens, the officers of the local Camp, United Confederate Veterans, ask that the people of Wilmington join in decorating the city and making it attractive as possible for the occasion of the annual State reunion, which will be held here August 2nd and 3rd.

It is very likely that the progressive business men will respond to this plea, and decorate their places of business, as well as many citizens, who will have their homes in gala attire during the reunion.

The card is signed by Commander James I. Metts and Adjutant L. Leon.

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LOCAL DOTS.

—The schooner John H. May, Capt. Stille, arrived in port yesterday from Norfolk with a cargo of coal for the Springer Coal Company. The vessel will discharge at the Ocean Fisheries.

—On account of the absence of R. F. Brooks, counsel for the defendant, the case against Joe Collins, a white man, charged with violating the prohibition law, was not tried before Justice Harriss yesterday. Mr. Brooks was in Burgaw on legal business. The case has been set for hearing Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

THE RECORDER'S COURT.

No Case of Special Importance on Docket Yesterday.

Of minor importance, largely, were the cases tried before the Recorder yesterday morning. The case against William Blunt, alias "Son," colored, whom the police officials believe to be responsible for a number of the burglaries which have occurred recently was continued until Friday. He has been identified by a woman of the underworld as the negro who entered her room some nights ago.

In the case of J. L. Pope and Geo. Cameron, charged, with affray, a nol pros was taken on account of the absence of the chief witness, former police officer M. C. Huggins, who made the arrest. Mr. Huggins resigned recently to accept a position with the Pullman Company, traveling between this city and Goldsboro.

A. J. Burden, who faced charges of drunkenness and larceny, received a sentence of three months on the county roads in the larceny case and judgment was suspended in the other charge. The evidence showed that the defendant appropriated and took unto himself two chickens, rightfully the property of the City Grocery Co., at corner of Fourth and Campbell streets.

W. H. Carlyle, white, who is said to have a number of aliases, and who is also reputed to have talked of robbing banks and raising a postoffice money order, was dismissed. The charge against him was vagrancy, which could not be sustained.

D. D. Williams, an excursionist, who created some excitement in the vicinity of Third and Princess streets Tuesday afternoon by dropping his coat and thereby discharging a pistol in one of the pockets, did not appear and forfeited a $30 cash bond. William Outlaw also forfeited a cash bond for being drunk.

The case against Alex. Hall, charging vagrancy, was continued, as was also the case against Walter Medway, a negro charged with the larceny of a cart load of rice from the Seaboard freight yards.

NEW DUTCH COLONY.

Has Been Opened Near Watha and Probably be Known as Van Eden.

The Carolina Trucking Development Company has recently opened a new Dutch colony near Watha. This is located on first-class agricultural land and will probably be named Van Eden. The drainage work has already been nearly completed and the timber will be entirely removed from the land prior to the arrival of settlers. One settler, Mr. Rond, has arrived and several others are expected at an early date. Mr. Rond will have his family with him as soon as his home has been built. The Hollanders who will locate on this tract will be splendid people like those now at Castle Hayne and will all be people of expert farming knowledge and with capital to put into their work.

The development at Newberlin is said to have been making rapid strides in the past few months and a number of new families have arrived. Those already there are making excellent progress on their farms. Among the new settlers who have come in the past few days are Mr. P. H. Finnen, of Ronkonkoma, N. Y.; Mr. F. N. Hines, of Spring Creek, Pa.; Mr. Chas. Kraushaar, of Pittsburg, Pa.; and Mr. W. R. Knollin, of Hockessin, Del.

MRS. PEARSON TO SING.

Public Will Have Another Opportunity of Hearing a Favorite.

The public will have another opportunity of hearing Mrs. Pearson sing at Lumina. She has been engaged to sing both at the afternoon and night concerts this coming Summer. Her singing last Sunday proved a most popular feature of the concerts and the audience at the night concert was the largest that ever attended a night concert at Lumina. Mrs. Pearson's voice fills the hall admirably and one has no difficulty in hearing her from any part of the pavilion. There is no doubt but that both the concerts next Sunday will have a record-breaking attendance.

Successful Fishing Trip.

Messrs. W. C. Jarnigan, W. S. Ansley, C. H. Johnson, of Atlanta, and Chas. A. Price, of Augusta, returned to the Seashore Hotel Monday from Topsail Inlet where they made quite a fine catch of drum and flounders. One drum tipped the scales at 34 pounds, and this with a monster king crab and the other fish created much interest among the hotel guests. The trip was made in the Hornet. Tuesday night at the hotel one of the most enjoyable and unique events of the season was the serving of the large drum, garnished and beautifully and tastefully planked, to the fishing party and their friends, numbering about 20 in all. The delightful feast was held in a private dining room.

Mrs. Sarah Cason Dead.

Friends in Wilmington will regret exceedingly to learn of the death of Mrs. Sarah R. Cason, wife of William S. Cason, deceased, formerly of this city, who died in Tyler, Texas, on July 2nd, 1911, at the age of 91 years. Two daughters and five grand-children are left to mourn her loss. Her youngest daughter, Miss Lula, was with her at the time of her death. The married daughter, Mrs. Julia A. Moore, and family, reside in Los Angeles, Cal.

DIED .

KELLEY—Lina Gray, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kelley, Wednesday, July 19th, 1911, at 2:20 o'clock A. M., age 2 years and 3 months.

Funeral this (Thursday) morning at 10:30 o'clock from the residence, 320 North Fifth street. Friends and acquaintances are invited to attend. Interment Oakdale cemetery.

CONFERRING WITH OFFICIALS

Committee Representing Engineers of the Coast Line System in Conference With Management of the Railroad.

Headed by Mr. Warren S. Stone, of Cleveland, Ohio, Grand Chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, a committee composed of Messrs. F. D. Howard, of Waycross, Ga.; G. W. Laughlin, of Florence, S. C.; J. M. Donlan, Rocky Mount; B. Harris, Richmond; G. W. Barnes, Waycross, Ga., and E. W. Powers, Sanford, Fla., representing the engineers of the entire Atlantic Coast Line system, are in the city conferring with the officials of the company, it is said, over a difference that exists between the engineers and the management.

While Mr. Stone stated last nigat that he had nothing to give out for publication, it is understood that the difference does not relate to the scale of wages now in effect. The members of the committee have been in the city since Monday and have been in conference with the general manager of the road from day to day although in an unofficial way, it is said. While it is likely that the committee will be in conference with the officials for the remainder of the week, it is understood that the prospects for an amicable settlement of the existing differences are good, and that it is expected that it will only be a matter of time until the settlement is effected. The Coast Line has the reputation of treating its engineers, as well as all other employees, with perfect fairness, and it is said that the engineers and the officials of the company have never failed to arrange a satisfactory settlement over any difficulty or difference that arose.

It also developed yesterday that a committee representing the machinists of the Coast Line system had been in the city in conference with the officials of the road.

It is said that the committee and the officials were conferring over a grievance of the machinists in regard to working conditions and the scale of wages. So far as could be learned last night, an agreement that is satisfactory to both the machinists and the company was reached, and it is understood the committee has left the city.

The difference between the engineers and the management is said to be of a nature that is not serious, and it is hardly likely, considering the fact that the wage scale is not involved, that any serious disagreement will arise.

Officials of the company stated yesterday that the engineers were here for regular session, and the matters being considered were of minor consequence. However, this is said to be the first time that Mr. Stone has ever attended a meeting of the engineers in this city.

MR. AND MRS. KELLEY BEREAVED

Their Little Daughter Passes Away After Illness With Fever.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kelley will tenderly sympathize with them in the death of their little daughter, Lina Gray, aged two years and three months, which occurred at 2:20 o'clock yesterday morning at the family home, No. 320 North Fifth street, after an illness of two weeks with typhoid fever. The little one was an especially bright child and was the joy of devoted parents' hearts. It was seen, however, several days ago that the little one could not survive the malignant attack with which she was suffering and the death angel came with the summons at the early hour yesterday morning. Last September the little one suffered an attack of infantile paralysis and a little later whooping cough. Though she had apparently recovered from these, she was left in such physical condition that the ravages of the dread fever made rapid inroads upon her constitution and the end, though sad and distressing to the devoted parents, was not unexpected.

In the absence of the pastor of the parents, Rev. J. C. Wooten, pastor of Grace M. E. Church, the funeral will be conducted from the residence this morning at 1:30 o'clock by Rev. G. T. Adams, pastor of the Fifth Street M. E. Church, and the interment will be in Oakdale cemetery.

OFFERED FINE POSITION.

Dr. Russell Bellamy Tendered Splendid Place in New York.

Owing to numerous rumors to the effect that Dr. Russell Bellamy contemplated leaving Wilmington at an early date to take an important position in New York City, where he resided for 18 years, he was seen yesterday and asked about the report. Dr. Bellamy stated that a communication had been received by him from the Department of Public Charities and Correction asking if he would accept the position of general medical superintendent of hospitals, New York City, at a salary of $5,000 a year and other perquisites, including house or apartments and expenses amounting to about $3,500, or all told about $8,500 a year. Dr. Russell Bellamy is very busy here now and as he believes that the South needs men with surgical and medical experience he will carefully consider the matter of whether he will return to New York, where he has many friends, or remain in his native State, where also he has a host of friends.

New York, July 19.—Word was received here today that David A. Rinaldo, one of the best known turfmen in the country, died Monday night at Saratoga Springs, N. Y. His son, Lawrence Rinaldo, left tonight to bring the body here for burial.

..Theatrical..

Yesterday was a great day at the Bijou. The general nature of the Bijou is to attract people, but yesterday this was enhanced by the fact that the wonderful Essanay film of the Indianapolis auto race was offered as an additional feature. The theatre did a rushing business and both the thrilling film and the enterprise of the Bijou in obtaining it, at great expense, were highly praised.

Today brings forth another swell bill and the Bijou makes the proud announcement that on today's programme will be found both Edison's latest and the Essanay's most up-to-date films. The Edison film is one as sweet as the aroma of roses. It is "The New Church Carpet" and the scenes are laid in a beautiful country district, where all is peace and sweetness. It tells the story of the treasurer of the village church who uses the carpet fund in order to reach the bedside of her critically ill daughter. The manner in which she repents and the way in which she is saved both honor and humiliation, is indeed tender and pretty. The Essanay film is "Her Dad, the Constable," which depicts first city and then country life. It is a roaring comedy, and will dish up the brightest kind of joy. The other pictures for today are all rattlers, and the music will be of the merriest and most tuneful type, headed by Mr. Frank Banks with a new illustrated song.

ATTACHMENTS YESTERDAY

Proceedings Instituted Against Tire Company and Groceryman

Two attachment proceedings were instituted in Justice Harriss' court yesterday and papers were issued, one against B. K. Heigler and the other against the Michelin Tire Company. Papers in the first case were issued at the instance of E. P. Gafford and the Holmes Grocery Company. Heigler conducted a meat market and grocery store at corner of 11th and Market streets. He was missing yesterday and it is presumed that he left the city Tuesday night.

Capt. J. D. Bowen is the plaintiff in the second proceeding. The papers were served on the Bardin Motor Company, on Second street, the representatives of the Michelin Company here. W. D. MacMillan was also garnisheed, it being supposed that he handled tires belonging to the Michelin firm. Capt. Bowen contends that he bought a guarantee tire from the Michelin Company, and that the tire proved faulty. The company refused to replace it, it is alleged, per their guarantee, and the proceedings were instituted. The amount involved is understood to be $27.50.

LOGGING TRAIN WRECKED.

Three Men Hurt in Wreck on Cherokee Lumber Company Road.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Garland, N. C., July 19.—In a wreck on the Cherokee Lumber Company logging road yesterday, Mr. Z. B. Barnes, manager of the lumber concern; Mr. Nathaniel Carter and Mr. D. L. Rich, were more or less seriously injured. Mr. Rich, the engineer, had his leg badly mashed by a rolling log less than two months ago, and was on crutches at the time of the accident. He received some bruises as did Mr. Carter, but Mr. Barnes was badly, though it is not thought seriously, hurt, one leg being broken and serious bruises sustained. Mr. Barnes is from Wilson, but his headquarters at preent are at this place.

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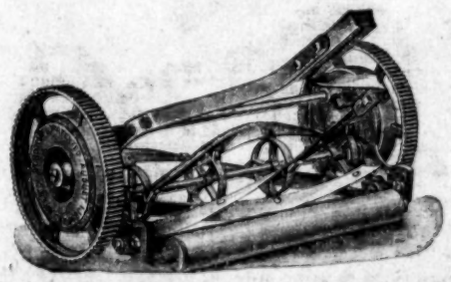

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Financial and Commercial

COTTON DECLINE SENSATIONAL

January Contracts Broke Through 12 Cent Level for First Time in Two Years—Excited Liquidation on Market.

New York, July 19.—A continuation of yesterday's excited liquidation caused a further sensational decline in the cotton market today and for the first time in nearly two years January contracts broke through the twelve-cent level, selling at 11.99, or nearly 89 per bale below the recent high record, while July cotton touched 12.28 and August 12.89, net losses of from 42 to 45 points, and declines of from $13.30 and $14.25 per bale, comparing with the high records of last May. The close was very steady, but at no important rally from the lowest, last prices showing a net loss of from 12 to 42 points.

The market opened steady, at a decline of five points to an advance of 3 points. Early cables had been considerably better than due, and there were quite a good many buying orders around the ring at the start, but later cables showed weakness in the near months, and right after the call old crop positions here weakened also, under heavy liquidation, attributed to the leading old crop bulls. July soon broke to 13.28, and August to 13 cents, or between 34 and 42 points, under the closing figures of last night. The new crop also weakened under general liquidation and Southern selling, but sold only 9 to 12 points net lower, before the decline was checked by trade buying, profit taking by local shorts and operations for a reaction. Buyers, however, followed the market up only 5 or 6 points from the lowest, and while there was nothing fresh in the way of news a renewal of liquidation during the noon hour caused another sharp break which carried prices into new low ground with August selling off to 12.89 and the new crop to about the 12-cent level, with active months generally showing a loss of from 20 to 45 points, compared with last night's close. Traders were again large buyers on this break, and with the assistance of shorts covering caused a rally of 8 or 9 points on the new crop positions, but there seemed to be little improvement in general sentiment and many predictions were heard of still lower prices before the market became settled. Weather conditions in the South showed little change, and beyond complaints of boll weevil or too much rain in the Central belt, there seems to be little fault found with the crop outlook.

Receipts of cotton today, 1,544 bales, against 655 last week and 10,396 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 1,355 bales, against 3,650 last year.

Spot closed quiet, 30 points lower. Middling uplands, 13.70; middling gulf, 13.95; no sales.

Futures opened steady and closed very steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	13.70	13.70	13.28	13.45
August	13.35	13.37	12.89	13.02
September	12.41	12.41	12.24	12.29
October	12.24	12.25	12.05	12.11
November	12.21	12.10	12.10	12.09
December	12.19	12.23	12.01	12.10
January	12.17	12.21	11.99	12.06
March	12.25	12.26	12.04	12.13
April	12.30	12.30	12.30	12.30
May	12.35	12.36	12.16	12.23

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Quiet, 11 1/4; net receipts, 122; gross receipts, 122; stock, 7,148.

New Orleans—Quiet and easy, 14 1/2; net receipts, 1,355; gross receipts, 1,355; sales, 126; stock, 32,697; constwise, 100.

Mobile—Nominal, 14 1/2; net receipts, 1; gross receipts, 1; stock, 665.

Savannah—Nominal, 14 3/8; net receipts, 62; gross receipts, 62; stock, 4,083; coastwise, 46.

Charleston—Nominal; stock, 4,083; coastwise, 450.

Wilmington—Nominal; stock, 329.

Norfolk—Quiet, 14; net receipts, 1; gross receipts, 1; sales, 382; stock, 3,169; coastwise, 382.

Baltimore—Nominal, 14 1/4; stock, 1,527.

New York—Quiet, 1,370; gross receipts, 115; stock, 94,293; coastwise, 15.

Boston—Quiet, 13.70; net receipts, 3; gross receipts, 3,599; stock, 12,315.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 13.45; gross receipts, 25; stock, 1,299.

Total today at all ports—Net, 1,544; stock, 173,460.

Consolidated at all ports—Net, 2,678; Great Britain, 5,555; France, 506; continent, 3,075.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 8,465,927; Great Britain, 3,256,822; France, 95,067; continent, 3,026,395; Japan, 148,966; Mexico, 2,075.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Quiet, 14 1/4; net receipts, 69; gross receipts, 69; shipments, 39; sales, 2,179; stock, 10,351.

Augusta—Nominal, 15 1/4; net receipts, 26; gross receipts, 26; shipments, 171; stock, 4,022.

Memphis—Steady, 14 1/2; net receipts, 28; gross receipts, 508; shipments, 690; sales, 425; stock, 29,296.

St. Louis—Nominal, 14 1/2; gross receipts, 315; shipments, 541; stock, 6,072.

Cincinnati—Shipments, 50; stock, 18,470.

Little Rock—Quiet, 14 3/8; stock, 4,361.

Louisville—Firm, 14 1/2.

Total today—Net receipts, 123; gross receipts, 918; shipments, 1,491; sales, 2,604; stock, 73,182.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, July 19.—A resistless stream of hedging sales from the big cash houses carried the wheat market down today, despite news that exports amounted to the remarkable total of 134 boat loads. Closing prices were easy, at 1/4@3/8c. to 1 1/4 decline. Corn finished 5/8@3/4 to 7/8@1c. down; oats, off 3/4@7/8, and hog products varying from 5c. lower to 5c. advance.

Wheat—No. 2, red, 84@85; No. 3, red, 83@84; No. 2, hard, 85 1/4@86 1/2; No. 3, hard, 83@85 1/2; No. 1, northern, 1.02@1.06 1/2; No. 2, northern, 95@1.02; No. 3, northern, 93@1.00; No. 2, spring, 90@95; No. 3, spring, 89@94; velvet chaff, 86@90; durum, 85@90.

Corn—No. 2, 64 1/2@64 3/4; No. 2, white, 65 3/4@66; No. 2, yellow, 64 3/4@65 1/4; No. 3, 64 1/4@64 3/4; No. 3, white, 65 1/4@65 3/4; No. 3, yellow, 64 1/2@65; No. 4, 63 1/2@64; No. 4, white, 64 1/2@64 1/2; No. 4, yellow, 64 1/4.

Oats—No. 2, 42; No. 2, white, 43@44 1/2; No. 2, new, 42 1/2@42 3/4; No. 3, white, 42@43 1/4; No. 4, 41; No. 4, white, 41 1/2@42 1/2; standard, 42 1/2@44; standard, new, 42@42 1/2.

Wheat:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	86 1/8	86 1/4	85 1/4	85 1/4
Sept	88	88 1/4	86 3/4	87
Dec	90 3/4	91 1/2	90	90 1/4
May	94 3/4	95 3/4	94 1/2	94 3/4
Corn:				
July	62 3/4	63 1/2	61 3/4	61 3/4
Sept	61 1/4	64 3/4	62 3/4	62 3/4
Dec	49 1/4	61 1/2	50 3/4	50 3/4
May	62 3/4	63 1/2	61 3/4	61 3/4
Oats:				
July	42 1/4	42 3/4	41 1/2	41 3/4
Sept	42 3/4	43 1/4	41 3/4	41 3/4
Dec	44 3/4	45	43 3/4	43 3/4
May	46 3/4	46 3/4	45 1/2	45 1/2
Mess Pork, per barrel:				
Sept	15.97	16.00	15.92 1/2	16.00
Jan	15.37	15.52	15.40	15.45
Lard, per 100 pounds:				
July	8.12	8.15	8.12	8.15
Sept	8.27	8.27	8.22	8.22
Dec	8.27	8.27	8.20	8.20
Jan	8.25	8.27	8.20	8.20
Short Ribs, per 100 pounds:				
July	8.45	8.45	8.17 1/2	8.37 1/2
Sept	8.55	8.55	8.45	8.45
Jan	8.07	8.07	7.95	7.95

A Peek Into His Pocket

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List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, N. C.

Schooners.

John H. May, 319 tons, Stille, C. D. Mafflitt.

Augustus Welt, 1,111 tons, Sproul, C. D. Mafflitt.

Calhoun E. Ross, 375 tons, Coulbourn, C. D. Mafflitt.

Major Pickands, 873 tons, Pinkham, C. D. Mafflitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at Port of Wilmington Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., July 17.

Atlantic Coast Line—4 casks spirits turpentine; 134 barrels rosin; 7 barrles tar; 38 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—16 casks spirits turpentine; 17 barrels rosin.

Total—20 casks spirits turpentine; 151 barrels rosin; 7 barrels tar; 38 barrels crude turpentine.

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Total last year—31 casks spirits turpentine; 184 barrels rosin; 4 barrels tar; 21 barrels crude turpentine.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, July 19.—Flour was moderately active, with prices lower to sell.

Rye Flour—Quiet.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Rice and Barley—Nominal.

Wheat—Spot, easy; No. 2, red, 89 3/4, elevator, and 91 1/4 f.o.b. afloat. Futures closed 3/4 to 7/8 net lower. July, 90 3/4; September, 92 1/4; December, 95 1/4.

Corn—Spot, easy. Export, No. 2, 67 f.o.b. afloat. Futures closed 3/8 to 3/4 net lower; September, 68; December, 68 3/8.

Oats—Spot, steady. Standard white 48 1/2. Futures closed nominal.

Lard—Steady.

Tallow—Quiet.

Petroleum—Steady.

Wool—Quiet.

Molasses—Quiet.

Rice—Quiet.

Sugar—Raw, firm; refined, steady.

Coffee—Futures closed firm, at a net advance of 8@15 points. Spot steady; Rio, No. 7, 13 3/8; Santos, No. 4, 13 3/8; mild, quiet; Cordova, 14@16, nominal.

Butter—Steady; creamery specials, 26; extras, 25.

Cheese—Steady and unchanged.

Eggs—Irregular.

Potatoes—Firm; new white seconds, 1.25@1.75; culls, 75@1.00.

Cabbages—Steady.

Freights — Unchanged.

Peanuts—Unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—The start was higher this morning, on covering of shorts and professional support, but selling orders came to light on the decline in cotton, and with the weaker technical position prices later eased off, closing unchanged to four points up from last night. July, 5.55@5.70; August, 5.61@5.65; September, 5.64@5.65; October, 5.45@5.46; November, 5.40@5.42; prime crude, nominal; prime summer yellow, 5.55@5.70; prime winter yellow, 6.00@6.90; prime summer white, 6.00@7.00.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, July 19.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady, 48 1/4 cents.

ROSIN—Steady, $4.95 per barrel.

TAR—Firm, at $2.20 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—$3.00 per barrel for hard; $4.50 for dip, and $4.60 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, firm, 55; rosin, firm, $3.90; tar, $2.25; crude turpentine, firm, at $3.00, $4.25 and $5.25.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	20
Rosin	151
Tar	7
Crude Turpentine	38

Receipts same day last year, 31 casks turpentine; 184 barrels rosin; 4 barrels tar; 21 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—(—) bales; same day last year, (—) bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, July 15th.)

PEANUTS—Virginias, .90 to $1.00 per bu.; North Carolinas, $1.50@$1.60; Spanish, $1.15@$1.25.

CORN—Firm; .68 to .70 per bu.

PEAS—White black-eye, $2.50; white lady finger, $2.75; clay peas, $1.75 per bushel, dull.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, new crop, $1.00 per bu.

BEEF—On foot, .03@.04 per lb.

PORK—Out of season.

WOOL—Burry, .12@.15 per lb.; free of burr, 12 to 18 per lb.

HIDES—Green, .08 per lb.; dry, .12 per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 17c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 12 to 13 1/2 per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; .27 per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; .01 1/2@.02 per lb.

POULTRY—Turkeys, out of season. Chickens, grown, .40@.50 per head; chickens, spring, .20@.35 per head; Geese, .50 per head.

EGGS—Good demand, 18 to 19 per doz.

SHEEP—Lambs, $2.50 to $3.00 per head; grown sheep, .90 to $2.25.

Petersburg Peanut Market.

(Furnished by Rogers, McCabe & Co.)

Spanish—Farmer stock, firm, $1.27 1/2 bid; $1.30 asked; holdings, small; No. 1, Spanish shelled, 7 1/4c.; No. 2, Spanish shelled, 5 1/2 to 5 3/4c.

Virginians—Bunch, 4 1/4 to 4 1/2c.; Fancy Hand Picked, 5 1/2 to 4c.; Extra Prime, 3 1/2 to 3 3/4c.; Prime, 3 1/4 to 3 1/2c.; Machine Picked, 3 1/4 to 3 3/4c.; market, firm.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Spot, Moderate Business Done; Prices, One Point Lower.

Liverpool, July 19.—Spot, moderate business done; prices, one point lower; American middling fair, 8.14; good middling, 7.80; middling, 7.58; low middling, 7.38; good ordinary, 7.12; ordinary, 6.87.

The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export, and included 9,800 American. Receipts, 2,000 bales; none American.

Futures opened firm and closed irregular, July, 7.12; July and August, 7.09; August and September, 6.87; September and October, 6.59; October and November, 6.49 1/2; November and December, 6.45; December and January, 6.44; January and February, 6.44 1/2; February and March, 6.45 1/2; March and April, 6.46 1/2.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, July 19.—Hill 4-4 bleached cottons are offered at 7 1/2c. for future delivery, and Masonville 4-4 bleached cottons have been reduced 3/4c. a yard for immediate delivery. Wide print cloths have sold in fair quantity on a basis of 5 1/4c. for 39-inch, 68x72s. Jobbers are protesting against the removal of restrictions on staple prints, and are now seeking protection on the goods. The matter is under consideration by printers. A substantial sale of duck yarns has been made for export on a basis of eleven cents cotton.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, July 19.—Rosin, steady; turpentine, steady.

Savannah, July 19.—Turpentine, firm, at 40 1/2@42 1/2; sales, 1,043; receipts, 303; shipments, 354; stocks, 23,043.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 3,834; receipts, 3,104; shipments, 77; stocks, 107,181. Quote: B, 5.30; D, 5.90; E, 6.25; F, G, H, I, K and M, 6.65; N, 6.90; W G, 7.05; W W, 7.10.

Charleston, July 19.—Turpentine and rosin, unchanged.

UPWARD MOVEMENT IN STOCKS

Advance of Day Before Was Resumed in Market Yesterday—Moderate Degree of Outside Business Reported.

New York, July 19.—The upward movement in stocks which began late yesterday was resumed today, although further advance was less vigorous than the hurried upturn of the previous session. For the first time in several weeks a moderate degree of outside business reported, and transactions mounted up to the largest total of the month. The movement was easily the most comprehensive of any for weeks past, and while covering of short contracts played an important part, investment buying apparently was a contributing factor. Some new high records for the year were reached, including Union Pacific, which were more than a point, and Canadian Pacific, which once more sold at the highest figure in its history, advancing a point to 246 3/4. Buying of the Harriman issues was among the day's most impressive features, all offerings being taken freely. In fact, all the higher grade railways were in demand, among others the cotton-carrying roads. Many of the prominent railroad stocks and some of the industrials ranged a point or more above yesterday's closing figures, during the greater part of the session.

Late in the day, gains were reduced by profit-taking and a resumption of short selling. The market withstood the pressure fairly well, with the exception of Reading, which lost all of its gain.

United States Steel was the most active stock, and sold at above eighty, touching its high prices for some two months. The movement in United States Steel was coincident with the return from Europe of the president, who made some optimistic comments on trade prospects.

The full report of the country's foreign trade for the month of June, and for the completed fiscal year, made the expected good showing. The excess of exports for the year of $520,700,000 has been exceeded, but five times in the nation's history, and with one exception is the largest in a decade.

In no branch of the securities market was the revival of activity more marked than in bonds. The demand was fairly broad.

The total sales, par value, reached the unusually large total of $6,396,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales, today, 455,700 shares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers, pfd	29 1/2
Amalgamated Copper	69 1/4
American Agricultural	50 1/2
American Beet Sugar	34
American Can	11
American Car and Foundry	57 3/8
American Cotton Oil	57 1/2
American Hide and Leather, pfd	25 1/8
American Ice Securities	23
American Linseed	10 1/2
American Locomotive	42 1/2
American Smelting and Refining, pfd	106 3/4
American Steel Foundries	39 1/2
American Sugar Refining	118
American Tel. and Tel	137 1/2
American Tobacco, pfd	95 1/2
American Woolen	32 3/4
Anaconda Mining Co	39 3/8
Atchison	113 3/8
Atchison, pfd	102 1/2
Atlantic Coast Line	131 1/2
Baltimore and Ohio	109 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	33
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	83 3/4
Canadian Pacific	246 3/8
Central Leather	30 1/2
Central Leather, pfd	100
Central of New Jersey	288
Chesapeake and Ohio	82 1/4
Chicago and Alton	30
Chicago Great Western	25 3/8
Chicago Great Western, pfd	45
Chicago and North Western	148
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	127 1/2
C., C., C. and St. Louis	58
Colorado Fuel and Iron	35 3/8
Colorado and Southern	54
Consolidated Gas	146 3/8
Corn Products	14 3/4
Delaware and Hudson	171 3/4
Denver and Rio Grande	28 1/2
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	51 3/8
Distillers' Securities	36 3/8
Erie	37
Erie, 1st pfd	59
Erie, 2nd pfd	48 1/4
General Electric	162 1/2
Great Northern, pfd	135 3/4
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	61 1/4
Illinois Central	143 3/4
Interborough-Met	19 3/8
Interborough-Met., pfd	55 3/4
Inter Harvester	123 3/4
Inter-Marine, pfd	17 1/4
International Paper	11 1/2
International Pump	42 1/2
Iowa Central	18 1/2
Kansas City Southern	36
Kansas City Southern, pfd	67
Laclede Gas	107 1/2
Louisville and Nashville	156
Minneapolis and St. Louis	31
Minn., St. Paul and Sault Ste Marie	142
Missouri Pacific	40 1/2
National Biscuit	136
National Lead	55 3/4
Nat. Rys. of Mexico, 2nd pfd	30 3/4
New York Central	109
New York, Ontario and Western	45 3/4
Norfolk and Western	108 3/4
North American	78
Northern Pacific	132 3/4
Pacific Mail	28 1/2
Pennsylvania	125
People's Gas	105 1/2
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	96
Pittsburg Coal	20 3/8
Pressed Steel Car	37 1/4
Pullman Palace Car	160 1/2
Railway Steel Spring	36
Reading	157 3/8
Republic Steel	30 1/4
Republic Steel, pfd	93 3/4
Rock Island Co., pfd	67 1/4
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	48
St. Louis Southwestern	32
St. Louis Southwestern, pfd	70 1/2
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	49
Southern Pacific	123 3/8
Southern Railway	33 1/4
Southern Railway, pfd	74 1/2
Tennessee Copper	41
Texas and Pacific	29
Toledo, St. Louis and Western	21
Toledo, St. Louis and Western, pfd	46 1/2
Union Pacific	190
Union Pacific, pfd	94 1/4
United States Realty	75 1/2
United States Rubber	41 3/4
United States Steel	79 3/4
United States Steel, pfd	118 1/2
Utah Copper	50 1/4
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	58
Wabash	16 3/8
Wabash, pfd	36
Western Maryland	61 1/2
Westinghouse Electric	75 1/2
Western Union	81 1/2
Wheeling and Lake Erie	3

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THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, July 19.—Money on call, steady, at 2 1/2@2 1/2; ruling rate, 2 1/2; closing bid, 2 1/2; offered at 2 1/2. Time loans, steady; sixty days, 2 1/2@2 3/4, and ninety days, 2 3/4@3; six months, 3 1/2@3 3/4. Prime mercantile paper, 4@4 1/2; sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.84.60 for sixty day bills, and at 4.86.20 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.84. Bar silver, 52 3/4; Mexican dollars, 45.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, July 20.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 A. M., Wednesday, July 19th:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 71 degrees; at 8 P. M., 79 degrees; maximum, 88 degrees; minimum, 69 degrees; mean, 78 degrees.

Rainfall during the day, .00 inch; for the month, 3.63 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., Wednesday, 3.3 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Generally fair, except scattered thunder showers Thursday and Friday; not much change in temperature; light, variable winds.

Port Calendar—July 20.

Sun rises	5:15 A. M.
Sun sets	7:22 P. M.
Day's length	14 hrs. 7 min.
High water at Southport	2:40 P. M.
High water at Wilmington	5:40 P. M.

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

July 19, 1911.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest Today.	Temperature: Lowest Last Night.	24-Hour Precipitation 8 P. M.
Abilene	clear	94	74	.0
Asheville	clear	84	56	.0
Atlanta	pt cldy	84	68	.0
Augusta	cloudy	84	72	.0
Birmingham	cloudy	84	66	.0
Boston	cloudy	80	64	.0
Charleston	cloudy	86	72	.46
Charlotte	clear	88	70	.0
Chicago	clear	82	68	.46
Galveston	clear	86	80	.0
Jacksonville	cloudy	90	74	.08
Memphis	cloudy	84	68	.0
Mobile	pt cldy	80	74	1.10
Montgomery	raining	84	70	.02
New Orleans	cloudy	86	72	.0
New York	clear	80	64	.0
Palestine	clear	88	72	.0
Oklahoma	cloudy	90	72	.0
Pittsburg	cloudy	82	60	.0
Raleigh	clear	86	68	.0
Savannah	cloudy	84	72	.0
Shreveport	clear	90	70	.0
St. Louis	cloudy	78	70	.10
Washington	cloudy	86	56	.0

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Sealed proposals for laying storm sewers and necessary appurtenances on certain streets in and for the City of Wilmington, N. C., will be received by the Councilmen at the City Hall up to 12 o'clock, noon, July 21st, 1911, and at that time they will be opened and publicly read. Address to P. Q. Moore, Councilman of Streets, and endorsed "Proposals for Storm Sewers." The work for which proposals are invited consists approximately of 2,000 lineal feet of sewer, ranging in size from 24-inch to 10-inch, including necessary manholes and inlets.

Each proposal must be accompanied with a certified check in the sum of Five (5) Per Cent. of the contract price, made payable to the Mayor of the City of Wilmington.

Specifications and blank forms of proposals can be obtained by application to the Councilman of Streets, and a full set of plans can be seen at the office of the Engineer.

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CHAS. T. NESBITT,
jl 14-tf. Supt. Health.

MORTGAGE SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in two certain deeds of mortgage, made by John Woods and wife, Mattie Woods, to the North Carolina Home Building Association, recorded respectively in Book 56, page 300, and Book 58, page 277, of the records of New Hanover County, the undersigned will sell, to the highest bidder, at public auction, for cash, on Tuesday, the 15th day of August, 1911, at twelve o'clock M., at the Court House door in the City of Wilmington, N. C., the following described property, to-wit: Beginning at a point on the north side of Rankin street, 165 feet East of Wood Street; runs thence Eastwardly with the Northern line of Rankin street 33 feet; thence Northwardly, parallel with Wood street 66 feet; thence Westwardly parallel with Rankin Street 33 feet; thence Southwardly parallel with Wood Street 66 feet to the beginning.

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"So today the conduct of the great commerce on staple articles among the States is become a matter of public consequence, and the courts have upheld legislation regulating it and prescribing some of the conditions under which it may be carried on. To require as one of these conditions that prices for commodities dealt in inter-State commerce must be reasonable, only involves a new application of the same principle.

"The anti-trust legislation of the United States and most of the separate States is based on the theory that the natural price of an article is that fixed by the operation of the natural law of supply and demand, working without artificial restraint.

"But the fact is that the law of supply and demand does not and has not for many years worked in this country in a natural unrestrained and unfettered manner. The government, in the first instance, interposes an artificial restraint in the protective tariff on imports. True, the theory of this tariff is to equalize conditions of competition; to place, as it were, a handicap on the foreign competitor who has produced his commodities under conditions less burdensome than those under which the American manufacturer produces his. But, in fact, the inequalities resulting from the methods of tariff legislation are very often impossible to justify on the theory of sufficient protection only, and the resulting price is that fixed by a limited competition between dealers in the market from which foreign competitors are to a certain extent excluded.

"Nor is this all. It is probably safe to say that in almost every one of the great staple industries, prices have been for years fixed by agreement between the principal producers, and not by the normal play of free competition, even among the domestic producers, nor by the unfettered operation of the law of supply and demand.

"The fact seems to be, that the prices of standard articles of consumption sold in the United States for a number of years past have not been fixed at all by the operation of the laws of supply and demand or of unrestrained competition, but by associations of the producers, without the participation of the consumer or the general public—that is, without those who have had to pay the bill having any voice in fixing the price. In this view, it is certainly not unreasonable that the purchasing public should desire to have some part in determining the price it is to pay—in like manner as has been recognized to be just with respect to the cost of transportation.

"If there could be any assurance that the free play of competition would be assured, and the natural price resulting from the unrestrained operation of supply and demand maintained, then no governmental supervision of business—beyond occasional prosecutions for violation of the Sherman law—would be necessary. But the habits formed through years of following a system are not easily shaken off, and the artificial forms of organizations made necessary by the conflicting laws of many States with those of the nation, will always present a border land of doubt which will furnish on the one hand opportunities for those who wish to violate the law to do so with some show of justification; and on the other, to perplex those who are sincerely desirous of keeping the law, but by reason of the complexity and conflict of different State laws, find it difficult to do so without seeming to run counter to the anti-trust law. For the effectual regulation of both of these classes the supervision of a Federal commission is certainly desirable, if not absolutely necessary."

Mr. Wickersham implied that a Federal incorporation act, while it might offer some difficulties, would help to lay the ax at the root of the trust.

"The existing system whereby every State charters corporations without the slightest regard to other States, or to the nation, empowered to roam at will—so far as their charter is concerned—but subject to any restriction or condition which any other State into which they may desire to go in carrying on their business chooses to impose, naturally led to a demand for authority in one corporation to take and hold stock in another, in order that the business of a corporation organized in one State might be carried on in another State, without subjecting the parent company and its entire capital and corporate organization to the laws of the latter.

"Probably no one thing has done more to facilitate restraint of trade and the growth of monopoly than the departure from the early rule of law that one corporation cannot own stock in another. That departure was the most baneful result of the "let us alone" policy in dealing with corporations to which the country abandoned itself during the last thirty years of the nineteenth century. The conditions which have resulted from the exercise of the expressly conferred power in one corporation to take and hold stock in another, present the most serious obstacles to the effective dealing with the 'trust' problem.

"Whenever competitors have been excluded by unfair means, and a very large part of the commerce absorbed by a particular interest, the machinery by which such result has been accomplished will be found on examination to be the control of various corporations by means of intercorporate stock holdings.

"If Congress should enact that no corporation engaged in inter-State commerce shall hereafter acquire any stock in any other corporation so engaged, and that unless all such corporations should dispose of all stocks held by them in other corporations engaged in inter-State commerce within some specified period, they should be prohibited from carrying on inter-State commerce until they did so dispose of such stocks, the ax would indeed be laid at the root of the trust evil; but justice to the innocent holders of securities issued to the public based on pledged stocks acquired and held pursuant to express legal authority, would require consideration to be given to their case, and such exception to be made form the prohibition as might be necessary to their protection. These necessary acts of justice might seriously interfere with the enactment of legislation effective to the accomplishment of the main purpose in view.

"Business men of integrity are naturally desirous of avoiding violations of law. The construction of the Sherman law originally contended for would have condemned them for any concerted action which imposed any restraint on trade. The more enlightened view which has been established by the Supreme Court limits the prohibition to undue restraint—those which are not the result of normal business methods but which are intended to accomplish, or have for their direct and primary purpose interference with the natural course of trade and commerce among the States or with foreign countries. Yet even within these rules there is an area of activity where co-operation and association should only have play under government supervision and control.

"With such supervision, a natural economic force may be utilized to the public benefit and to the general satisfaction of the commercial world. By it, while monopolies and restraints o trade will still be held at bay by the terrors of the anti-trust act, thousands of small traders may by regulated co-operation protect themselves from the ruin of destructive competition on the one-hand, and from the constant apprehension of indictment on the other.

"Conservative minds naturally shrink from accepting a conclusion which would devolve upon the national government the comprehensive powers and duties involved in extending the principles of the inter-State commerce laws over commercial and industrial corporations; for the increased centralization of control in Washington over the trade of the country; the multiplication of Federal office-holders and bureaucratic inter-meddling with business, may be necessary, but are undesirable incidents to the conduct of daily business life.

"These problems go to the very root of the continued prosperity of our people. They can only be solved by a careful consideration free from any partizan bias. I have not attempted to express a conclusion, but merely to state the elements of a problem which, if wisely determined, will scatter plenty o'er a smiling land, and if unwisely dealt with may paralize the hand of industry that maketh rich—not with the unequal wealth of monopoly, but with the distributed wealth which brings national prosperity and continued peace."

KNOX'S MESSAGE TO CUBA.

Rumor of American Intervention Dispelled Yesterday.

Havana, July 19.—Rumors which have been current recently that the American government was considering another intervention in Cuba were dispelled today when the American minister, John B. Jackson, visited Senor Sanguily, the Cuban Secretof State, and delivered a message from Mr. Knox, the American Secretary of State, in which the secretary declared that the American government had not the least intention of intervention.

Senor Sanguily expressed his warmest appreciation and said he was convinced that nothing would disturb the present friendly and intimate relations between the two countries.

Washington, July 19.—Annoyed by repeated rumors, fomented especially in Cuba that the visit to the island of Secretary of War Stimson was preliminary to American intervention, Secretary of State Knox today addressed a note to the Cuban government through United States Minister Jackson. Declaring that Mr. Stimson's visit is partly to inspect the work on the wreck of the battleship Maine in Havana barbor, and primarily to pay a friendly visit to the republic of Cuba. Secretary Knox says:

"The government of the United States has thought it not worth while to deny the false stories of possible intervention which have been circulated in certain sections of the press, the fact being that no such question has been the subject of consideration by that government whose sole concern in relation to Cuba affairs in recent years has been that in the rapid development of the splendid resources of Cuba, which will be viewed in the United States with so much pleasure the process of exploitation should be ever safe guarded by that wise and deliberate economic policy so essential to financial and political stability."

THE TRAGEDY AT RICHMOND

Negro Arrested On Suspicion Was Released Last Night.

Richmond, Va., July 19. — Irving Brown, a negro 18 years old, was arrested today on suspicion that he is the man who late last night shot and killed Mrs. Harry C. Beattie, Jr., as she was riding with her husband in an automobile. Bloodhounds followed a trail to Brown's home.

There have been no developments in the case of the Beattie homicide this evening beyond the fact that the negro youth, who was arrested on suspicion of having committed the crime, was released this afternoon and the inquest was postponed until tomorrow.

The general impression is that more sensational developments than have hertofore appeared in the case may be looked for soon.

PAY FOR MEXICAN SOLDIERS.

Those in Sonora to Receive $25 Each for Service and Arms.

Agua Prieta, Sonora, Mexico, July 19.—Soldiers in this district are to be paid off today. Each one is to receive $40 in Mexican, $25 of which the receipt states, is in payment for services rendered and $15 as compensation for his arms which are to be surrendered.

It is believed here that the men will not give up their arms and that trouble will follow the attempted disbandment of the garrison.

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THE SUGAR TRUST HISTORY

W. B. Thomas Principal Witness Before the Committee.

New York, July 19.—Although the minutes of the meetings of the board of directors of the American Sugar Refining Company show that Washington B. Thomas, the present chairman of the board, was elected a member of a special committee with H. O. Havemeyer and Mr. Senff to acquire beet sugar refineries, Mr. Thomas declared today to the special Congressional Committee investigating the so-called "sugar trust," that he knew nothing about it until he read of it in the government report at Washington a few days ago.

"Didn't Mr. Havemeyer notify you that you were a member of the committee to purchase independent beet sugar interests throughout the country?" Chairman Hardwick asked him.

"Not that I remember."

"As a member of such committee did you ever participate in the purchase of such interests?"

"I don't think so."

"But the records show that you, as a member of the committee joined in these $35,000,000 of purchases of independent."

"I have no recollection of it. Mr. Havemeyer always attended to these matters alone and never consulted any one."

Mr. Thomas told today of his financial interest in the American Sugar Refining Company. His stock, he said, amounted to about 3,000 shares with a book value of about $375,000, and the holdings of the members of his family including his own, are between 15,000 and 20,000 shares, with a value of between $1,600,000 and $2,000,000. Mr. Havemeyer, when he died, had only about 135 shares of stock, but for many years had thoroughly dominated the company, the witness said.

Mr. Thomas declared that the $9,000,000 stock of the company was represented by real property with a book value of $132 for every $100 share of stock.

Chairman Hardwick said he would not accept the company's book value as correct, and it was intimated that the committee would endeavor to arrive at such a valuation by the employment of experts to appraise the value of the property.

In reply to Representative Madison, Mr. Thomas went into the formation of the original trust.

"The refineries composing the first company were capitalized at $6,500,000 and were given $50,000,000 of sugar trust stock for their properties, were they not?"

"I believe so."

"That's a whole lot of moisture, was it not?"

"I guess so."

"Do you not know that much of the stock is now water?"

Mr. Thomas admitted that this might be true.

Mr. Madison, who took a hand in the questioning, said he believed the common stock of the National Sugar Reining Company, in the New Jersey suit, would be invalidated "as the issuing of that stock was a terrible steal," and that this would give the American Company control, thus increasing the output to nearly 60 per cent. of the country's product. This, with the American's large interest in the beet sugar industry, would make the American a most formidable corporation absolutely controlling one of the country's necessities.

"Do you not think Congress should control such a powerful organization?" he saked.

"I think it will be a good thing," replied the witness.

GAYNOR SCORES SUBWAY PLAN

Lays Violent Hand on Proposition—Mayor's Letter.

New York, July 19.—Mayor Gaynor came out in a straight-from-the-shoulder letter tonight, laying perhaps more violent hand on the subway situation than on any municipal question since he came into office. He declared that he would resign rather than have his name linked with the execution of such a plan as was semi-officially reported today to have been agreed upon in the allotment of subways, with a practical guarantee of nine per cent. interest to the Inter-Borough Rapid Transit Company.

The mayor's letter came on the heels of a conference between the Public Service Commission and the subway committee of the board of estimates today, at which the proposal of the Inter-Borough Company was received, and, it was semi-officially announced, agreed to.

"I regret exceedingly that this thing is being done," began Mayor Gaynor in his letter of denunciation tonight. "It is a wrong and humiliating to this city. The city is being overreached by a few financiers of great ability."

The mayor declared that the Inter-Borough Company had transferred its shares of $35,000,000 capital stock to a holding company which 'straightway financed" this stock by issuing $70,000 worth of debenture bonds at 4 1-2 per cent., which require a nine per cent. dividend on the original stock to provide such interest. The mayor continued: "I never expected to see the city officials give their aid to safely entrenching and perpetuating such baneful financing as this, from which our country has suffered such moral degeneration and material wrong.

"It would be far better for the city to operate its subways than do what it is now being submitted to."

He declared in conclusion that he had too long written and spoken against such methods to now turn about and ally himself with them and that he would go out of office without putting that stain on his name.

DROWNED IN CATAWBA.

Mecklenburg Boy Lost His Life While on Picnic.

Charlotte, N. C., July 19.—Mr. Edgar Rock, the son of Mr. W. D. Rock, a young man about 18 years of age, was drowned today in the Catawba river, while swimming. The tragedy occurred near Rozzell's ferry bridge, where a number of young folks were enjoying the all-day picnic of the Lutheran Sunday School.

Mr. W. D. Rock is one of the best known real estate men of the community. He lives near the Mecklenburg Country Club, having sold the club property for its present purpose some months ago. His son was an extremely popular among his coterie of friends and the news of his death will be received with the greatest sorrow.

FOUR VICTIMS IN WRECK.

Fast Freight On Baltimore & Ohio Plunged From Track.

Pittsburg, July 19.—Four men were killed, two injured and another is unaccounted for as a result of the wreck of a fast freight train on the Pittsburg & Western division of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad at Bryan station, near here, late today.

Conductor Cunningham was the only member of the crew among the victims, but others being "train riders" or trespassers.

The train consisted of thirty cars loaded with iron bars and was bound from New Castle, Pa., to this city. It plunged from the track at a sharp curve.

Atlanta, Ga., July 18.—Although a woman graduate of the Atlanta Law School, Mrs. Minnie Hale is the central figure in the agitation to amend the constitution so that women can practice law in Georgia, the general sentiment of the members of the Atlanta Bar Association, thus far expressed, is decidedly against the innovation. This is not through any lack of chivalry, but rather the reverse.

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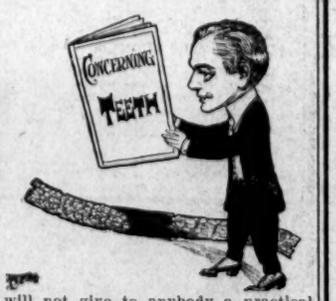

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